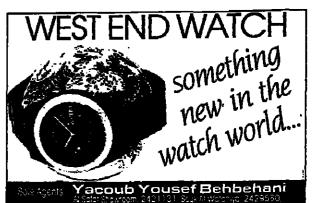
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Sabah condemns

renewed shelling

Talks with Lebanese Christians end

By Lima Ai Khalafawi

KUWAIT, April 14: Kuwait's Deputy Premier and Foreign Minister Sheikh Sabah Al Ahmed made a fresh appeal for a ceasefire between warring Christians and Muslims in Lebanon.

Sheikh Sabah, who heads a six-member Arab League committee on Lebanon, expressed

"extreme regret and sorrow" over the collapse of an April 5 ceasefire the panel arranged.

"The committee hopes all parties will respond to this appeal and declare their immediate adherence to the

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Saudis don't have N-arms

WASHINGTON, April 14, (AP): President George Bush has said that Saudi Arabia does not possess nuclear, chemical or biological warheads for intermediate-range ballistic missiles purchased from China.

If Bush had found otherwise, the administration would have been barred from selling certain military products to the Saudis.

In a formal presidential certification, Bush said the Saudis have bought intermediatecredible intelligence reporting indicating that Saudi Arabia possesses nuclear, chemical or biological weapons."

Moreover, he said "we are not aware" of producing facilities for chemical or biological agents or weapons. He said the Saudis possess no significant nuclear facilities."

A law enacted by Congress requires the President to make a certification about the

Saudis' arsenal in order to continue military

Bush said that both the Saudis and Chinese have informed the United States that the missiles purchased from Beijing will not be equipped with nuclear warheads.

The Saudis also have pledged the missiles will not be armed with chemical warheads,

Quiet Friday

UN chief

deplores

massacre

by Israelis

UNITED NATIONS, April 14, (Agencies): UN Secretary-General Javier Perez de Cuellar

strongly deplored civilian deaths and injuries in the occupied West

Bank yesterday when Israeli bor-der police shot dead at least six

Palestinians and wounded more

The International Committee

of the Red Cross also protested

at the killings. Perez de Cuellar appealed to

Israel to abide fully by its obliga-

tions under the Fourth Geneva

Convention, which deals with

the protection of civilians in time



ATHENS, April 14. (Agencies): Ayatollah Hossein Ali Mon-tazeri, erstwhile successor to Iran's spiritual and political leader Ayatoliah Khomeini, is under house arrest in the holy city of Qom, sources in Tehran Revolutionary Guards also

Montazeri

arrest;

under house

riots in Iran

arrested Montazeri's son and son-in-law.

The sources, reached by tele-phone from Athens, said Montazeri's house was surrounded by Revolutionary Guards about the time Khomeini announced March 28 that he was accepting

March 28 that he was accepting Montazeri's resignation as his deputy and appointed successor. The source, who asked not to be identified, said heavy clashes broke out between the guards and Montazeri's supporters in Najafabad, some 215 miles (340 km) south of Tehran, after he was ruit under house arrest. was put under house arrest.

"The clashes were heavy," a Tehran source said, and both sides used automatic rifles and

machine-guna.
Gulf-based diplomate said at least 20 people were killed. Some clashes were also reported in the poorer districts of south Tehran, the source in the Iranian capital

The Baghdad-based Muinhedeen-e-Khalq organisation, an Iranian opposition group, said Revolutionary Guards and security men arrested Saced Montazeri and Hadi Hashemi, Montazeri's son and son-in-law. during a raid on Hashemi's

The guards "beat up all the occupants of the house, including Hashemi's wife (Montazeri's daughter), the statement said.

There was no immediate confirmation of the arrests from the government in Tehran or independent sources, but the Tehran source said Hadi Hashemi was also arrested in 1986, when his brother Mehdi

was arrested for "treason." Mehdi Hashemi was executed in 1987, after a secret trial, and a public "confession" on state

Kayhan weekly Air edition. confirmed the riots but said 'some opportunist elements' had taken advantage of Montazeri's resignation to create "riots and disturbances" in Najafabad

Kayhan said life in Najafabad returned to normal after Montazeri sent an envoy to read a statement appealing for calm and respect for Khomeini's decision. It did not give details of the riots.

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Nuzzie

RAF police dog Tanya (left) carried 'piggy-back' fashion on the back of her handler Corporal Graham Holt, nuzzles Corporal Steve Rowe also carrying his dog Cleo, at the launch in Horse Guards' Parade of the 99th Royal Tournament which will take place at Earl's Court, UK in July. (Reuter wirephoto)

PLO carrying out its commitments: Baker

US to continue talks

WASHINGTON, April 14, (Agencies): Secretary of State James Baker has said the United States will continue its talks with the PLO despite inflammatory statements from some leaders of

Baker, under tough questioning by several members of a Senate appropriations subcommittee yesterday, said the administration is satisfied the PLO is carrying out the commitments it made when the dialogue was established in December.

Baker was asked about comments by PLO Foreign Minister Farouk Kaddoumi, who was quoted in a BBC interview April 4 as saying Israel's return of its occupied territories would be only the beginning of Palestinian demands.

"Such statements are clearly not helpful," Baker acknowled-ged. But he added that PLO chairman Yasser Arafat does not have total control over the umbrella organisation.

"We do look at such statements carefully," he said. "To date we are satisfied the PLO is committed to what it has told

In December, reversing years of US policy, the government opened direct talks with the PLO, in Tunisia after Arafat satisfied the three conditions laid down by the United States recognising Israel's right to exist, renouncing terrorism and endorsing UN Security Councii Resolutions 242 and 338, which call for a negotiated end to the Arab-Israeli dispute.

"There are a lot of people who presume to speak for the PLO, and some of them are opposed to the dialogue with the United States," Baker told senators. "We can't expect Arafat to control every dissident group."

President George Bush contacted Saudi Arabia's King Fahd on the telephone and briefed him about the latest talks held here last week aimed at moving the peace process forward, a White House spokesman has said.

The purpose of the conversation was to brief King Fahd about the outcome of the talks that Egyptian President Hosni Mubarak and Israeli Prime Minister Yitzhak Shamir bad with him about the peace process, the spokesman said.

See Polls impossible

NPA bombs US facility

MANILA, April 14, (Agencies): Communist guerrillas have claimed responsibility for bombing a US communications station in the Philippines, saying the attack was a response to "escalating US military intervention" in the country.

In a statement delivered to news agencies, the general command of the New People's Army said one of its units entered the station at Mount Cabuyao in Benguet province.

it said 25 explosive devices were placed on the giant antenna, a metal communications van and four satellite dishes.

LONDON, April 14, (Agencies):

An innocent US citizen was

tricked into carrying the bomb

on board a Pan Am jumbo jet

which exploded over Scotland in

December, British newspapers

investigators have narrowed

the search for the unwitting

carrier to between three and five

US passport holders who proba-

bly joined Pan Am Flight 103

when it originated in Frankfurt,

The Daily Telegraph said US Federal Bureau of Investigation

agents were searching European cities for the person who gave the

have said.

the reports said.

Military officials said earlier the saboteurs planted 18 explosives devices but only five went off, destroying the antenna

and three electric pylons. A human rights lawyer who often fought the Marcos regime now is trying to help Ferdinand Marcos return home before the ousted Philippine president dies.

Juan "Johnny" David, 86, who once represented Marcos' foe Benigno "Nonoy" Aquino - the assassinated husband of Philippine President Corazon Aquino - arrived in Honolulu yesterday at the request of Marcos' wife, imelda. Innocent man carried Pan Am bomb

carrier a Toshiba radio cassette

player which concealed 300

grammes (12 ounces) of plastic

sources as saying they hoped to

name the organisation responsi-

ble for the bombing, believed to

be a Syrian group opposed to Israel and the PLO, and the

carrier within the next few days.

The Pan Am Boeing 747, flying from London to New York,

crashed in a fireball on the Scott-

ish town of Lockerbie on Dec 21,

killing all 259 on board and 11

The reports, also carried by the

people on the ground.

The newspaper quoted FBI

explosive.

The pre-dawn shooting, in the village of Nahalin southwest of Bethlehem, was one of the bloodiest incidents in the 16month Palestinian uprising in the West Bank and Gaza.

A statement issued through a UN spokesman said: "The secretary-general strongly deplores the injuries caused to innocent civilians and the loss of life. He is especially disturbed by the reports of casualties by gun-The ICRC protested to Israel

today over the killing of six Arabs and appealed to the govdamental principles of human-itarian law." The ICRC "vigorously

protests against this latest tragic incident during which troops opened fire without discrimination and without restraint," the all-Swiss humanitarian agency said

An ICRC statement also expressed concern about increasingly frequent use of firearms and physical violence against "defenceless civilians."

The commander of Israel's paramilitary border police said today his men committed 'faults" during the raid on

An Arab witness had said soldiers and paramilitary border police came to blows before the shooting in Nahalin, southwest of Jerusalem. He said the border guards refused an Army officer's demand that they leave the

"There is no doubt there were
"They must be faults in Nahalin. They must be examined and conclusions drawn," commander Meshuiam Amit said.

Palestinians in the occupied West Bank and Gaza Strip launched a three-day general strike today in protest at what senior PLO official Bassam Abu Sharif called "an organised, pre-planned massacre.

Friday prayers ended peacefully today at Al Aqsa as more than 3,000 police officers and soldiers patrolled Arab East Jerusalem to prevent a repeat of

last week's rioting at the holy site.
As many as 35,000 Muslims were expected to attend prayers on the second Friday of Ramadan, but Israel Radio reported only 4,000 worshippers reached the Temple Mount.

Daily Mail and the Times, said

the backgrounds of five passen-

gers were being investigated after

scientific evidence showed the

suitcase containing the bomb belonged to a US citizen.

Meanwhile, the investigation

The Lord Advocate, Lord

Fraser, Scotland's chief law

officer who is ultimately respon-

sible for the crash investigation,

said he could not comment fur-

ther on media reports of further

progress in the investigation.

chief said, investigators have

narrowed the focus of the inves-

tigation into the bombing.

Syrian helicopters attack Soviet ships

shelling of Beirut.

7 injured, major damage

Orphaned baby girl Adele greets her grandfather Suleiman at an East

Beirut hospital.

'Mother I'm blind'

BEIRUT, April 14, (Reuter): Badia Atabiyyeh is haunted by the screams of her daughter Nahed after a Beirut bomb explosion four

"Mama, mama," the baby war victim cried to a woman visitor at her

hospital bedside on Wednesday. But her mother is dead, killed in the

Adele Touma, 20 months old, was orphaned 10 days ago when a shell

hit the home of her grandparents in East Beirut. Her aunt and grandmother were killed along with her parents.

Shrapnel sliced off Adele's right foot and hit her in the stomach and face. Her 50-year-old grandfather was badly wounded by the blast,

Nahed and Adele are two of some 330,000 victims of Lebanon's civil

The war broke out on April 13, 1975, between Palestinian comman-

dos and Christian militants. It subsequently developed into a sectarian

struggle between Christians and Muslims, taking on regional and

At least 130,000 people have died and 200,000 have been injured in

As a percentage of population, this is equivalent to 35 million

Adele's grandfather Hanna Suleiman does not yet know his family

Russian, 30 million American or seven million French casualties.

"Mother, mother, I can't see, I'm blind."

which reduced the house to rubble.

international dimensions.

are among the dead.

war which entered its 15th year yesterday.

the conflict out of a population of 2.5 million.

MOSCOW, April 14. (UPI): Two helicopters bearing Syrian identification marks launched a rocket attack on two Soviet ships off the Syrian coast, wounding seven sailors and causing major damage to one of the vessels, the Army daily Red Star reported yesteday.

In a brief report on an inside page, the newspaper said the incident occurred about 10 am Tuesday near the Syrian port of Tartus, where the Soviets maintain naval facilities.

Moscow-based diplomats said the attack may have been a case of mistaken identity. "Two helicopters with Syrian

markings launched a rocket attack on Soviet auxiliary ships — the sea-going tugboat SB-524 and the anti-submarine ship VM-125 — located about 39 nautical miles from the port of Tartus," the Red Star report

"The VM-125 sustained major damage. As a result of the incident, seven sailors were wounded, one of whom was shell-shocked," it said.

Diplomats said they saw no

reason why Syrian aircraft should launch such an attack unless it was a case of mistaken identity because the Soviet Union is Syria's chief arms supplier and has close ties with

The incident was reported only by the Army newspaper, and a Syrian official in Damascus said he could make no comment.

"The big anti-submarine ship Red Caucasus and the anti-submarine cruiser Leningrad, which were in the area, rushed to the rescue," Red Star said.

"The wounded sailors were given the necessary medical aid, and two of them were taken to Tartus for further treatment.

"Those who sustained the most serious injuries are the petty officer of the crew, Chief Warrant Officer V. Biserov, and the chief sailor, E. Shkidchenko, who is almost beyond hope...

"Competent authorities are now investigating cause of the incident," the paper said.

The report gave no further

Second in 4 months

cut due to fault at Al Zour

Kuwait on Thursday due to a fault at a major power station. Sources said an oil leakage in the fuelling system of a turbine shut off the Al Zour power sta-

It was the second power cut in four months. The first, lasting eight hours, hit all of Kuwait on Dec 13 last year when a 300-megawatt turbine at the KD400 million Al Zour power station

Thursday's four hour blackout started at about 3.30 pm and spread to about 60 per cent of Kuwait, covering Abbasiya, Farwaniya, Hassawia, Farwaniya, Hassawia, Shuwaikh, Salmiya, Jabriya, Mishrif, Hawalli, Nugra, Shaab and Kuwait City among other areas.

Syrian Vice-President Abdul Halim Khaddam and urged them to adhere to the truce. Sheikh Sabah urged all the power failure. Sources said the leakage happarties "to live up to the dictates of their conscience and shoulder

innocent people." He said the league committee would continue its mission of intensive contacts with a view to putting an end to the sufferings

their responsibility toward

Sheikh Sabah yesterday bit-terly attacked the latest fighting

shelling, a situation that is

beyond any appeal or plea ... we denounce it from whichever

source it might be." Sheikh

20-hour artillery battle between

Major General Michel Aoun's

Christian troops and an alliance of Druze militias and Syrian troops left 19 people dead and 50 wounded. Sheikh Sabah last

night telephoned Aoun and

The plea came the day after a

'We condemn the renewed

in Lebanon.

of the Lebanese people."
Sheikh Sabah indicated that the committee intended more talks with the Lebanese factions before reporting to the Arab League foreign ministers' coun-

He said the committee will contact "all concerned Lebanese sides to assemble them in a roundtable meeting and set forth to them the visualisation it has formed as a result of its meetings with them.

The committee yesterday ended two days of talks with a five-member delegation of rightwing Christian Lebanese politicians headed by George Saadeh of the Phalange Party.

Speaking to Arab Times yes terday. George Adwan, secretary-general of the Lebanese Front and a member of the Christian team said: "The withdrawal of the Syrian Army is our main and major demand towards solving the Lebanese crisis." Adwan regretted that some Lebanese are being used as toois by foreign forces to further inflict damage to the country.

He added that Syria is a member of the Arab League and the real test of the league is to solve the Lebanese crisis and thereby prove its credibility.

"If the Arab League fails to produce results," Adwan said, "Lebanon will not hesitate to take up the issue with the international forum. Sheikh Sabah Al Ahmed said

after last night's talks that he is optimistic about the committee's efforts. He added that this optimism is derived from assurances he received through telephone conversations with Khaddam, and Aoun. AP adds: A fierce shelling duel

between Syrian and Christian gunners overnight kept civilians off the streets today and also delayed the start of a French humanitarian mission to Lebanon.

Two French Navy vessels, the hospital ship La Rance and a tanker, the Penhors, remained outside Lebanese territorial waters awaiting sailing orders from French Humanitarian Assistance Minister Bernard Kouchner, who is in Beirut.

By staff reporter

A POWER cut hit 60 per cent of

broke down during testing.

Power was restored gradually from 6.30 pm onwards, and by 7.40 pm, electricity was supplied to all the areas affected by the

pened while shifting a turbine from one fuelling system to another. The engine shut down after a leakage in the system, they

"Fuel did not reach the engine system, causing a total failure at Al Zour," they said. The technical fault in Al Zour

affected power generation in the Eastern Doha power station, causing a widespread blackout. Al Zour and East Doha are linked by a computer-controlled system, housed in the power station in Jabriya.

The fault in East Doha was repaired first, followed by repairing of turbines in Al Zour station. Sources said all MEW officials were called back on duty to repair the malfunction at the power stations.

The major power stations in Kuwait - Doha - east and west, Shuaiba north and south and Al Zour — generate a total of 5,741 MW of electricity per day.

Thursday's power failure also

affected the telephone network in such areas as Shuwaikh. "The generators at the communications facilities did not function. the phone went dead in some areas," sources said. The Ministry of Communications "regretted the breakdown of the telephone network" in an announcement made at around 3 am, Friday, on KTV I.

Lightning hits jumbo

SYDNEY, April 14, (Reuter): A Qantas jumbo bound from Frankfurt to Bahrain with 189 people on board was struck by lightning but landed safely, a spokesman for the Australian national carrier said today.

A bolt of lightning hit the Boeing 747's nose after it took off from Frankfurt last night, knocking out both weather radars, the spokesman said.

The flight, QF-6, continued to Bahrain using other navigation equipment, he

"The aircraft was passing through a thunderstorm at the time and passengers would only have feit a slight bump," he said.

Lanka bomb toll 42

COLOMBO, April 14. (Reuter): The Sri Lankan government today hunted car bombers who killed 42 people with an explosion in a crowded market in the eastern port of Trincomalee.

L. Sirisena, assistant government agent at Trincomalee, said the death toll had risen to 42 from 38 after four victims of yesterday's blast died in hospital. Indian troops imposed an indefinite curfew on the city after the car

bomb, which shattered the start of New Year celebrations by the Indian Ocean island's Sinhalese Buddhists and Tamil Hindus. The government said it was investigating whether the explosives,

packed into an ageing Morris taxi, were planted by former Tamil separatist rebels in a provincial council. Deputy Defence Minister Ranian Wijeratne said some people accused the Eelam People's Revolutionary Liberation Front (EPRLF)

a former guerrilla group, while others blamed the Liberation Tigers of Tamil Eclam, which remains committed to an armed campaign. Five Tamils were later killed in another part of Trincomalee in an

apparent revenge attack.

Iran-Contra trial

Reagan 'ordered' shredding: North

WASHINGTON, April 14, (Agencies): Oliver North testified at his criminal trial on Wednesday that he altered or destroyed secret documents related to the Iran-Contra affair thinking the order came directly from then President Reagan.

But under intense crossexamination he admitted the President did not tell him directly to shred or change documents and said he did so after talking with former National Security Adviser Robert McFarlane.

North said he was first told to destroy or change secret Iran-Contra documents in 1985, but did not obey until November 1986 when the plan was falling

apart.
"Everything I was doing was done at the direction of the President," North said.

You had an order from the President of the United States to destroy documents?" asked prosecutor John Keker incredulously. "Explain how you'd come to that conclusion."

Because everything that was described in the documents (on a list Robert McFarlane had given him to be altered) I had been told was at the direction of the

North said that after talking with McFarlane in November 1986 he altered or shredded documents because he understood the presidential order had been renewed.

The courtroom drama of North's trial was approaching last act as the prosecution prepared to bring on witnesses today to counter North's defence against 12 felony charges.

The government was expected to question six witnesses in rebuttal to back up its case that North

Prize for button

needle, thread

GENEVA, April 14, (UPI): A button needing no needle and

thread won first prize along with

its Swedish inventor yesterday at the 17th annual Geneva Inven-

The button has a small plastic

screw and is "sewn" on by simply

turning it through any material

and then snapping off the point.

operation can be compared to

using a miniature button-topped

corkscrew and then breaking off

the spiral once it's through. The

Called the "spearbut," the

lastic bullon comes in all shape:

and sizes and colours and was the

idea of Gudmar Olovson, a

Swedish sculptor, and developed

a reserve of spare buttons on

trips and can also be distributed

by hotels and airlines," the jury

said in awarding first place to

"This invention will certainly

revolutionise the world of fashion," it said. "And it will be a

boon for those people who can't

sew or who have trouble anyway

"It will allow everyone to have

button is firmly attached.

by his son and a nephew.

Taking just a few seconds, the

needing no

tions Fair.

\$49.75m US aid to Contras

WASHINGTON, April 14, (Reuter): Congress yesterday approved \$49.75 million in non-lethal aid to Nicaragua's Contra rebels, implementing President Bush's bipartisan accord on using diplomacy

to promote democracy in Nicaragua.

The accord was greeted with bitterness in Managua, where Sandinista leaders condemned it and vowed to strengthen plans to defend

The bill was approved in a vote of 89-9 in the Senate and of 309-110 in the House of Representatives. It was sent to Bush for signing. Leaders in both Houses of Congress applauded the agreement, saying that after years of sharp differences it gave Washington one

voice in policy toward Nicaragua. "This is a chance for a new beginning," House Speaker Jim Wright

said. "Let's give it a chance." But in the debate Democrats hailed the bill as an end to the USbacked Contra war against Nicaragua's Sandinista government while many Republicans said it kept the Contras together for possible

committed crimes that include lying to Congress, accepting an illegal gift, destroying official documents and tax refund.

Among the scheduled rebuttal witnesses were Robert Gats, the former deputy CIA director now President Bush's deputy National Security Adviser, and Willard Zucker, a Geneva lawyer who opened Swiss Bank accounts for North's secret

With the conclusion of the defence's case yesterday and the government's rebuttal, North's eight-week-old criminal trial is approaching an end.

US district judge Gerhard Gesell said closing arguments could start on Tuesday and the jury could get the case by next Thursday. If the jury returns guilty verdicts on all 12 counts against the retired marine lieutenant colonel, he would face up to 60 years in prison and \$3 million in fines.

MATAMOROS, Mexico, Abril

14, (UPI): Mexican police yester-

day forced a suspect to dig up a 13th body buried at a border

ranch where drug smugglers sought to protect themselves by

sacrificing humans in cult rituals.

and US officials predicted more

US and Mexican authorities,

meanwhile, reported some

progress in the search for the

couple said to be the key mem-

bers of the marijuana-smuggling

ring, which is now believed to be

much larger than first suspected.

victims would be found.

Defence lawyer Brendan Sullivan finished an eight-day presentation without again questioning his star witness — North.

North also ended six punishing days of testimony yesterday in which he said he committed many of the crimes of which he is accused - believing he acted on the lawful orders of White House superiors.

Sullivan's case of more than 100 exhibits and 16 witnesses was aimed at defending his client with evidence showing North's bosses at the NSC — Robert McFarlane in 1985 and John Poindexter in 1986 — plus former CIA Direc-tor William Casey were well aware of North's activities and authorised them.

For his last witness, Sullivan called CIA official Maurice Sovern to explain a log of 157 telephone calls and 26 meetings North and Casey had between January 1984 and November - about one contact a

Mexican ritual killings

13th body recovered from grave

sactificed chickens and goals,

and expanded their quasi-

religious rituals to kill and mu-

tilate humans in their quest for

immunity from arrest and even

ordered suspect Sergio Martinez,

23, of Matamoros, to point out the location of the 13th body,

then dig three feet (1-m) into the

earth as two armed guards stood

by at the Rancho Santa Elena

outside the border city of

Matamoros, across the Rio

Grande from Brownsville.

Mexican federal judicial police

death, officials said.

Letters to Anne raise divorce spectre

LONDON, April 14, (Agencies): Letters to Princess Anne from a handsome aide have raised speculation of a royal divorce a subject which has wrought constitutional upheavals and brought heartbreak to Queen

Elizabeth II's family. Whether Anne's 15-year marriage to Capt. Mark Phillips is really on the rocks or is simply one of those long-distance unions not unusual in the British upper classes remains open to question.

Fat Cat Contest

that of a 14-year-old boy.

ied killing him.

Martinez acknowledged that

he helped bury the boy, but den-

The chief members of the drug gang were identified as Adolfo de Jesus Constanzo, 26, known to the ring as El Padrino, or "godfather," and Sara Aldrete Villarreal, 24, both of Brownsvillarreal, 24, both of Brownsvillarreal

lle and Matamoros. Ovidio Her-

nandez Rivera is another suspec-

ted member of the satanic cult.

US customs agent Oran Neck said Aldrete Villarreal's station

Thirty-eight-year-old Anne, the Queen's only daughter, and Phillips, 40, a commoner and former Army captain who runs equestrian centres, lead virtually separate lives.

The couple, who have two children. Peter, 11, and Zara, 7, were apart for more than half the time last year. News of the mysterious collec-

tion of letters to Anne from royal Navy commander Timothy Laurence, a 34-year-old bachelor and equerry at Buckingham Palace, gave new life to rumours which began in 1981 that her marriage is in trouble.

The four stolen letters were delivered last week to a mass-circulation newspaper, The Sun, which did not publish them. Police are now investigating the

With bold headlines, the tabloid press said Anne and Laurence are in love. As usual, the principal charac-

ters said little or nothing. Anne, dogged by an army of photographers, carried on with a punishing schedule of routine royal engagements. Phillips went off to Spain to see about setting up a riding centre there and Laurence dropped out of sight.
While remaining on duty as
equerry at Windsor Castle, he

has not appeared in public with

the queen since he was identified

as the letter-writer. Anne is only seventh in line to the throne—behind her brothers Charles, Andrew and Edward, two young nephews and a baby

would hardly mean a con stitutional crisis.

It was not always so. Divorce has hung over the royal family since the six-times married Henry VHI broke with the Roman Catholic church; 1534 because the Vatican would not annul his marriage to Cath

crine of Aragon. Each succeeding monarch is titular head of the Church of England, which frowns of

China marks birth of 1.1 billionth citizen BEIJING, April 14. (Reunal China declared its population reached 1.1 billion today, two as big as at the time of the 194 revolution, and warned of national disaster unless fresh efforts were made to enforce birth control birth control.

next century if birth control was The People's Daily said China had made a grave mistake by rejecting the advice of popula-

Mao in the 1950s called birth control a "bloodless genocide" plotted by enemics of China and attacked economist Ma Yichu

The estimate of 1.1 billion today is considered a low one by some China researchers, one of whom told Reuters the country probably passed the figure in the latter half of 1988.

supplies, health care, transport,

In a separate report the state

The one-child policy has been strictly enforced in cities and is credited with preventing 200 million births since the 1970s. But it has failed in the country, with some provinces banding to with some provinces bending to traditional preferences for boys by allowing peasants whose first child is a girl to try again for a boy. The People's Daily said the population would reach 1.7 billion to 1.8 billion in the middle of next century if present birth rates continued. "If mistakes are made, population could exceed two billion, with disastrous con-

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Georgia Institute of Technology in Atlanta announced on Monday confirmation of key parts of the experiment, but warned the energy release might be just a bizzare chemical reaction. "This means that there will be an increased effort to determine

new reaction is," Pons said on Monday. "The reaction is most likely nuclear. It can't be explained any other way, but the scientific community will have to now try to understand the process involved." Pons and Fleischmann said

what the source or nature of this

nals "describing a speculative

theory on the new cold fusion.

A scientist who said he produced nuclear fusion at room temperature about the same time

as Pons and Fleischmann said he

has made peace with them.

Steven Jones, 41, of Brigham

Young University in Provo,

Utah, said Pons and Fleisch-

mann agreed to make a simultan-

eous announcement with him.

Jones met with Fleischmann at

the Italian conference to settle

Pons and Fleischmann said

their calculations on fusion

indicated the energy available in 1 cubic foot (0.3 cu m) of sea

water is equivalent to the energy

released in burning 10 tons of

coal. Since then, researchers

worldwide have been trying to

Texas A and M University in

College Station, Texas, and the

duplicate their efforts.

the dispute.

hydrogen nuclei apparently. fused in their experiment, giving off excess energy.

the sun, results from the joining of atomic nuclei.

man Mao Tsetung.

housing and employment. Tian attacked the "laissez-

control among China's 86 million ethnic minority people. most of whom have until now been exempted from the rules applying to couples of the ethnic Han majority.

sequences for the entire nation,"

Government leaders and the state-run media acknowledged that the country's draconian one-child policy. had largely failed and said population could reach an intolerable two billion

tion experts in the 1950s, but did not name the leader then-chair-

for advocating it. Only in the 1970s were widespread popula-tion curbs introduced.

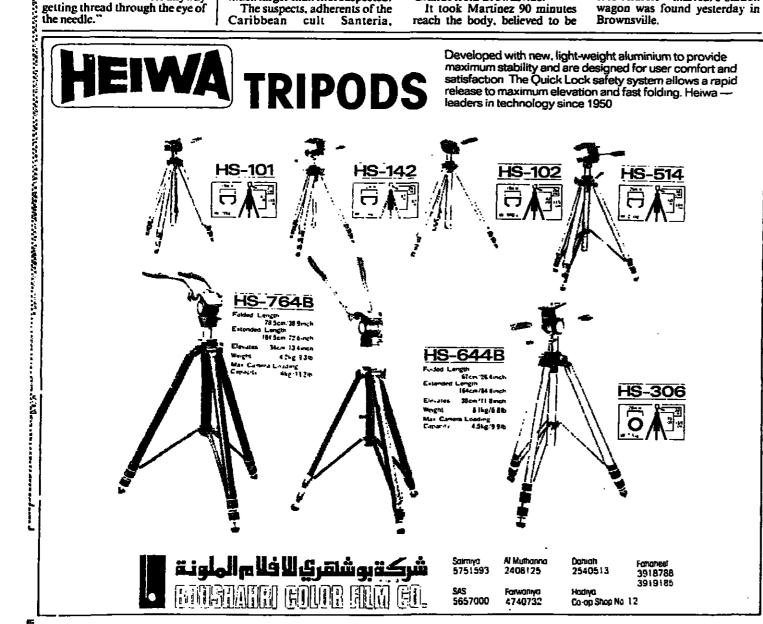
Vice-Premier Tian Jiyun tolda meeting in the Great Hall of the People the outlook for economic growth was bleak if current birth rates continued, straining food

faire" attitude to birth rules in some rural areas, an apparent lab at local authorities who have relaxed them in the face of peasant hostility.

science and technology commission called for increased birth

technicians 2. Technical assistants Full or part timers Must have valid transferable residence

Fusion, the energy source of



Southeast Atlanta Moo-Moo will now go to New York to compete in the national contest. (Reuter wirephoto) Have sex, promote harmony in society

Greg Cox holds up all 14.5 kilos of his 4-year-old cat Moo-Moo who won the 'Fat Cat Contest' on April 11, beating out several other entries from

HELSINKI, April 14, (Reuter): Finnish health experts recommend a more sexually active lifestyle and greater sexual equality to promote happiness and har-

mony in society.
"Sexual satisfaction and contentment with life go hand-in-hand," said an official report drawn up for the National Board of Health and published on Wed-

"Sexually active people are less have fewer psychosomatic symptoms than others. Positively experienced sexual activity is a good antidote to the ill effects of stress," the report said.

"In a world of sexual equality in which attitudes to eroticism are positive, children would not be abused, women would not be raped and men would not be driven to

Health board director-general Matti Ruokola told a news conference that stress sufferers could be sent on sex holidays.
"Why not? It's a good idea but

how we would do it is another question,™ he said. The report said parents should have the chance to get away from their children and workers from

their jobs. "By relaxing together, the vacation would often turn into a

satisfying sex holiday," the report The report said that vision was in stark contrast to present-day Finland where people had problems even talking about sex.

LONDON, April 14, (Reuter): Britain's Prince Edward, Queen Elizabeth's youngest son, visits Moscow tomorrow as relations between Buckingham Palace and the Kremlin grow warmer than at any time since the 1917 Russian revolution.

Prince Edward to visit Moscow

that may explain how "cold fusion" may work, but gave no details. Peter Hagelstein said in a statement that he submitted four research papers to scientific jour-

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Scientists defend

fusion-in-a-flask

DALLAS, April 14, (UPI): One of the fathers of the nuclear

fusion-in-a-flask "experiment

defended his controversial work

before the scientific community

on Wednesday and expressed

confidence that his findings of a

safe and inexpensive nuclear

energy source would be borne

we're seeing, in my mind," Stan-

lev Pons, an electrochemist from

the University of Utah, told the

197th national meeting of the American Chemical Society.

'We cannot explain the data by

Pons and Martin Fleisch-

mann, of the University of

Southampton in England, announced on March 23 that

they had created nuclear fusion

at low temperatures, surprising

the scientific community and

themselves. Fleischmann, first

expected to attend the meeting.

went instead to Italy for another

Pons answered highly tech-

nical questions from chemists for

more than an hour, including one

light-hearted query asking

whether he was a hero, a villian or a phony. "No comment" the

a phony. "No comment" the chemist responded.

In other developments Wednesday: Soviet scientists confirmed results of the room-tem-

perature fusion experiment. The

official Tass news agency said

Runar Kluzmin and other

researchers at the Moscow

University physics department performed 20 experiments and have confirmed the experiments of US colleagues to

obtain nuclear fusion at room

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NEWS IN

Lottery fortune

RJUKAN, Norway, April 14, (Reuter): A woman who bought a lottery ticket at her bank and lest it on the counter after deciding it was worthless is 250,000 crowns (\$36,700) richer thanks to an honest customer.

The Norwegian daily Verdens Gang said today that the honest customer handed in the ticket and the bank traced the woman, whom it did not identify, with the help of video footage taken by security cameras.

Space agency head

WASHINGTON, April 14, (Reuter): President Bush said on Wednesday he had selected Rear Admiral Richard Truly to head the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, the first time a former astronaut has been chosen for the post.

The 51-year-old Truly, who flew missions aboard the space shuttles Columbia and Challenger, took charge of the shuttle programme following the January 1986 explosions of the Challenger, which killed seven crew members and stalled the country's manned flight programme.

Newsweek banned

COLOMBO, April 14, (Reuter): Sri Lanka on Wednesday banned the April 3 issue of Newsweek magazine which carries a picture Prophet Mohammed (PBUH).

A government statement said President Ranasinghe Premadasa ordered the ban and prohibited its distribution on a request made by Jabir Cader, deputy minister of Muslim Affairs.

The same Newsweek issue has been banned in Pakistan and Bangladesh, countries with a majority Muslim population.

Paintings on show LEICESTER, England, April 14, (Reuter): Paintings by writer

D.H. Lawrence; once banned as hideous and obscene, went on display in Britain yesterday for the first time in 60 years - but only as photographs.

The exhibition organsiers in

Leicester, central England, said they substituted photographed copies for the originals at the last minute because of fears that the authorities could seize and burn the nude paintines.

Drug problem ATLANTA, April 14, (Reuter): Four first ladies said at a conference yesterday they were our sidering forming an international council to attack the

world-wide illegal drug problem. The four women of the Caribbean Cayman Islands, Begum Raushan Ershad of Bangladesh, Gisela Shandar of Surinam and Blanca Rodriguez de Perez of Venezuela -- were among a group of first ladies attending a meeting spon-sored by a youth anti-drug organisation, Pride.

Hoffman found dead

SOLEBURY, Penn., April 14, (Reuter): Abbie Hoffman, a leading US revolutionary activist of the 1960s, was found dead in his apartment on Wednesday, local authorities said. He was 52. Bucks county prosecutor Alan Rubenstein said the death did

not appear to involve foul play but would be investigated as suspicious.

Tank destroys pub

FALLINGBOSTEL, West Germany, April 14, (Reuter): When a British tank crew called unexpectedly at a West German bar, there was only one problem. They were still in the tank.

Their 60-tonne Challenger veered off the road with a broken transmission and rumbled through the wall of a pub in Fallingbostel in the north German countryside.
The unscheduled visit on

Tuesday caused 150,000 marks (\$80,000) damage to the pub, which had just been renovated and was due to reopen that night. Mission to Mars

LOS ANGELES, April 14. (Reuter): The Soviet Union's idea of teaming up with the United States on a mission to Mars will be realised on film

before it happens in space.
MGM/UA Television said on Wednesday it had agreed with the Soviet broadcasting agency Gosteleradio on a joint venture to produce a four-hour mini-series about a US-Soviet voyage

BRIEF

Georgian Communist Partyleader Dzhumber Patiashvili resigned today following criticism of his suppression of nationalist demonstrations and was replaced by the republic's KGB

head, a local journalist said.

The journalist at the Georgian news agency Gruzinform named Gumbaridze, whom she said had led the Georgian KGB state security police for the last few

"Patiashvili stepped down of his own accord, the journalist told Reuters.

Patiashvili, who replaced current Foreign Minister

gian party leader in 1985, was criticised for his handling of Sunday's clashes between troops and demonstrators in the capital,

Sixteen people, 10 of them women, were killed outright and three more have died in hospital. Authorities are investigating charges that troops used shar-pened shovels against the 8,000strongcrowd, who were chanting nationalist slogans during an allnight demonstration outside the

Georgian party leader steps down after riots

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government and party buildings. Patiashvili announced his resignation at a meeting of the Georgian party's policy-making central committee attended by

Local journalists said Georgy Razumovsky, a junior member of the ruling Soviet Politburo and the Communist Party's personnel chief, was also there.

Outside, troops patrolled the streets and the city's main squares remained cordoned off

nel carriers to prevent mass gatherings, they said.

Patiashvili admitted in comments broadcast on Soviet television on Monday that he had mishandled the demonstrations, wrongly thinking that the fact the troops were unarmed would

by tanks and armoured personprevent loss of life. Poland calls for elections

Solidarity applies for registration

Solidarity leader Lech Walesa

said he expected the union to be

legalised on Monday and pled-

ged that it would fight for as

WARSAW, April 14, (Reuter): Poland's communist rulers yesterday called elections in June which will bring the Solidarityled opposition into parliament for the first time.

The 17-member Council of State, Poland's collective presidency, set June 4 and 18 as the dates for two rounds of voting to the 460-member lower house Sejm and a new, democratically elected 100-seat upper house Senate.

The independent Solidarity trade union had applied hours earlier to a Warsaw provincial court for legal registration to end a period of repression that began vhen martial law was imposed in December 1981 to crush its threat to communist rule.

for independence elections on Nov 1.

WINDHOEK, April 14, (Agencies): The UN's peacekeeping operation in Namibia is creaking into

gear after an initial two weeks of near chaos and

officials are optimistic about meeting the schedule

A consignment of vehicles and radio equipment

was offloaded in the South African enclave of

Walvis Bay yesterday and more than half the 4,650 UN soldiers due in Namibia had arrived by night-

"The problem is not so much getting the men here

many seats as possible under an agreement worked out at eight weeks of "round table" talks with the government.
"Solidarity assumes and thinks it will win in the coming elections as much as it can according to the terms that have been

of Gdansk. "The elections will answer the question of who is right in Poland," he said. "Let the better and the new win,"

created." Walesa told a news

conference in the northern port

Under an electoral deal with the communist authorities, the opposition can contest 35 per

Namibian independence on track

cent of the Sejm seats and compete for all senate seats in free elections.

The deal and Solidarity's restoration are part of an overall agreement on introducing sweeping political, union and economic reforms to haul Poland out of an economic and political crisis and lead it towards parliamentary democracy.

The Senate will be the only freely elected parliamentary body in communist-ruled East

as getting them operational, but give us another

week and then see how we are doing," a UN official

forces this week after negotiators had worked out a

plan for the insurgents to withdraw safely to

Also today South African Foreign Minister Pik Botha said about 350 guerrillas of SWAPO had withdrawn and about 900 remained in Namibia as

today, a day before a deadline for them to leave.

Angola, a territofial official said today.

Two SWAPO guerrillas were killed by security

Walesa said that although he intended to run for the post of state president six years from now, he had not yet decided if he personally would contest the

Sikh militants took a new year pledge yesterday to carry on their campaign for an independent homeland as police kept Sikhism's holiest shrine, the Golden Temple, under surveillance. But a religious congregation planned by the militants inside the Temple could not be held. The meeting, coinciding with the Sikh new year and a harvest festival, was aimed at giving guidance to their seven-year-old

Sikhs pledge

separatist campaign. Picture shows a woman lighting small oil lamps around the Golden Temple in Amritsar on Thursday to celebrate Baisakhi, the harvest festival. (Reuter wire-

Defence minister dismissed

Kohl announces cabinet shakeup

BONN, April 14, (Reuter): Chancellor Helmut Kohl appointed new defence, interior and finance ministers yesterday in a cabinet reshuffle aimed at stopping a popularity plunge threatening his government's re-

The cabinet shakeup, the biggest since Kohl's centre-right coalition took office in 1982, followed a growing electoral challenge from the far right. Kohl told a news conference he was dismissing Defence Minister Rupert Scholz and replacing him with Gerhard Stoltenberg, finance minister since the chancellor's centre-right coalition took power in 1982.

Stoltenberg's successor at the Finance Ministry would be Theo Waigel, the leader of the Christian Social Union (CSU), the Bavarian sister party of Kohl's Christian Democrats (CDU),

Interior Minister Friedrich Zimmermann would be moved to the Transport Ministry and his portfolio taken over by Wolf-

gang Schaeuble, he added. Schaeuble, at present Chancellery Minister, is one of Kohl's closest advisers on both domestic and foreign issues.

Kohl has often used Schaeuble as a troubleshooter. He was given the job earlier this year of explaining the government's

handling of a scandal involving West German business links to a suspected Libyan poison gas

Political commentators have said a reshuffle was necessary to rebuild public confidence in both Kohl and his government.

Kohl has been attacked for indecisive leadership and failing to stop persistent squabbling between the conservative CSU and the liberal Free Democrats, the third party in his coalition.

The Christian Democrats have performed poorly in two local elections this year when thousands of former supporters deserted the CDU for right-wing

Opinion polls say Kohl's government would probably lose power if a federal election were held tomorrow. The next federal vote is due in December next

Scholz, a hardliner who became defence minister 11 months ago, became widely unpopular for insisting on continued low-altitude military flights despite a series of serious accidents last year. He was also viewed as insensitive to growing public opinion in favour of better relations with the East bloc.

Kohl said he was appointing Economic Development Minister Hans Klein, like Waigel and Zimmermann a CSU member, as the new government spokesman.

Bolivia forbids issuing visas to Chinese

Sex-for-passport scandal

BELJING, April 12, (UPI): China denied yesterday any knowledge of an alleged sex-forpassports and bribery scandal involving Bolivian diplomats in China, one of whom has been suspended pending an official investigation.

Bolivia has forbidden its embassy in Beijing and its consulate in the southern city of Guangzhou from issuing visas to Chinese pending an investiga-tion into allegations its diplomats accepted sexual favours or cash in exchange for valid immigration documents.

"I have no knowledge of this," Foreign Ministry spokesman Jin Guihua said curtly at a weekly news briefing. "The Chinese government is against illegal immigration."

Western diplomats and Latin American sources in Beijing said Chinese citizens had paid up to \$20,000 into Swiss and Hong Kong banks in exchange for Bolivian passports.

In La Paz. Vice Foreign Minister Jorge Gumucio suspended Isabel Wong de Castro, Bolivia's consul in the southern Chinese city of Guangzhou, as part of an investigation that will include the

Wright vows

'fight to last'

over ethics

WASHINGTON, April 14, (Reuter): An emotional US

House of Representatives speaker Jim Wright has vowed to "fight to the finish" to protect his family shonour against expected

charges of ethical misconduct.
Flanked by scores of fellow
Democrats, Wright gave a 30-

minute address yesterday essen-tially conceding that a House

Ethics Committee would decline

his business dealings violated

He asked to appear before the

As he spoke, the ethics panel

financial impropriety and

was in the final closed-door

stages of considering the charges

violation of rules limiting outside

income. The panel announced it

had postponed a meeting scheduled for today until Mon-

No public statement of charges against Wright is expected

committee "at the very earliest possible moment" to defend

house rules.

Diplomat's wife at brothel

PARIS, April 14, (Reuter): A barman's tip to a policeman led to the discovery of a bizarre brothel employing bored housewives, well-paid businesswomen and even a diplomat's wife and a 73-year-old grand-

Inspector Jean-Pierre Gambini of the Paris Vice Squad told Reuters the brothel keeper, "Madame Marcelle," was a 65-year-old woman seeking distraction after the death of her husband.

Most of the 20-odd prostitutes were "highly respectable women" who charged 600 francs (\$100) — a fraction of the going rate — for their favours in Madame Marcelle's central Paris apartment, he said.

convening of two special com-

Wong de Castro, a Chinese Bolivian, recently complained in an interview published in China's state-run media that the consulate was being bombarded by telephone calls from Chinese looking for ways to get a Bolivian

She could not be reached for comment and the Bolivian embassy in Beijing said it was closed to the public.

The scandal comes as a tidal wave of Chinese are seeking to emigrate or study overseas. Hopeful emigrants form long lines early each morning outside the consular offices of the United States, Britain and other Western nations.

A Chinese government source in southern Guangdong province said there is a bustling underground market in Guangzhou for visas in passports from the Philippines and a number of Latin American countries.

A number of Beijing residents also have paid up to \$5,000 for Australian visas in recent months. Chinese sources in Beijing

Bolivia, the poorest nation in South America, issued more than 500 tourist and immigrant visas to Chinese citizens last year, the sources said.

Seoul detains

SEOUL, April 14, (Reuter): Protesters from both right and left staged demonstrations in Seoul today amid increasing furore over a leading South Korean dissident's illegal visit to

More than 30,000 South Korean war veterans marched through the capital demanding byterian pastor arrested when he returned from the visit yesterday.

dozen South Korean campuses demanding Moon's release. The North denounced Moon's

"If the South Korean rulers are truly interested in North-South dialogue and the reunification question ... they ought to justly evaluate the weighty significance of Moon's visit to Pyongyang and act with discretion," said the North Korean central news agency, monitored

Moon-ik-Hwan

the execution of Moon-Ik-Hwan, a 71-year-old pres-Students and dissidents staged demonstrations on more than a

arrest as "terrorism in broad daylight and a vicious challenge to human rights, democracy and the peaceful reunification of

Officials urge Exxon to speed up cleaning oil spill

VALDEZ, Alaska, April 14, (UPI): One of Alaska's senior environmental officials urged Exxon Corp. to speed up its efforts to clean oil from America's worst spill from blackened beaches, but said even the best cleanup will not return the area to its original pristine condi-

Dennis Kelso, the state's commissioner of environmental conservation, prodded the oil giant vesterday to "go forward at full speed" in ridding 44 target besches of oil from the March 24 accident that dumped more than 11 million gallons (41.5 million litres) of Alaska crude into Prince William Sound.

Kelso said the 44 beaches would serve only as a starting point in the cleanup effort. He said that although Exxon does not now have enough workers or equipment to do the entire shoreline cleanup, "they assured

us they will be hiring rapidly." Kelso said even if the best shore cleanup is undertaken, the Prince William Sound coastline will not be the same as it was before the spill.

Jim Wright.

The panel has been investigat-

ing the speaker's financial deal-

ings for 10 months following

charges lodged by Georgia

Republican Newt Gingrich, who

now holds his party's number

Wright, 66, said he was certain

that in 34 years as a house mem-

ber he had not violated "any of

those basic rules nor any com-

monly accepted standard of eth-

before next week.

two leadership post.

ical conduct."

"I don't think the beach cleanup will return the Sound to its original condition," Kelso

By yesterday, Exxon had recovered only 840,000 gallons (3,180,000 litres) of oil. Exxon has had a few dozen workers out scrubbing oil off rocks on shorelines made up of rocks, pebbles and gravel in what

seemed to be an impossible job.
But, Kelso said, "I don't think
the difficulty of the task gets
anyone off the hook."

Meanwhile, Coast Guard commandant Paul Yost flew to the port city of Valdez yesterday to fulfill President Bush's mandate to speed up the job of cleaning up the oil.

The spill began when the tan-ker Exxon Valdez hit a well-charted reef, spilling its cargo of oil from gaping holes in the ship's

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THERE is a general practice in the private sector that an employee who resigns after five years service gets seven-and-a-half days salary for the first five years and 15 days for the rest. Is it not a violation of the labour Akhtar Hussain Safat

THE end-of-service benefits, published in Arab Times on April 1 and April 8, are the general guidelines of settlement. If a person is sacked, he gets the full benefits as stated by the law. If he resigns, he gets 50 per cent of the benefits. It is not a violation of the law, but common practice.

WHERE is the orphanage in Kuwait? Who is responsible for it? Please give its location and a contact telephone number.

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THE orphanage is located in Sulaibikhat, near the Sabah Hospital, in the Social Welfare complex. The orphanage, old-people's home and a home for the disabled are located in the complex, which is run by the Ministry of Social Affairs and Labour. The ministry's Assistant Undersecretary Latif Al Rujaib is responsible for welfare activities. But there is an officer-in-charge at the orphanage. The telephone number, as given by the Ministry of Communication, is 4872718.

IF a wife holding valid residence permit in Kuwait delivers triplets in India, what is the procedure to bring the children to Kuwait?

IF both the husband and wife have a valid residence permit, they are eligible to bring their children on a visit visa, which can be obtained by

the mother or the father. The infant's birth certificate must be endorsed by the hospital, and attested by the Foreign Ministry. The certificate, along with the mother's passport must be submitted to the Kuwait Embassy to obtain

When they arrive in Kuwait, the children are eligible to get dependent's visas, provided the father earns a minimum of KD600 salary (private sector) KD450 (public sector).

A parent must fulfill the following: complete an application form for a dependent's visa, a copy of which is signed by the sponsor and enclosed: produce a salary certificate; present the passport with a valid residence permit; a photo-copy of the Civil ID card; marriage certificate and a photocopy of the passport.

If a child is born in Kuwait, his or her name can be included in the

mother's passport.

Kuwait school fees lowest, says official

Owners union keen to upgrade levels

DR Fuad Al Abed, spokesman for the Private Schools and Cultural Institutes Owners Union was quoted as saying that tuition fees in Kuwait were the cheapest

throughout the world. in an interview with a local daily, Dr Abed called on the Ministry of Education to enhance subsidies for private

prehensive report from the Food and Agriculture Organisation (FAO) on locusts and an invita-

tion from FAO to participate in the conference scheduled to take

place in Rome next June on com-

The conference aims at mobil-

ising international efforts in the

formation of an international

team which will formulate plans

designed to control locusts in

their original areas of prolifera-tion and eventually halt the

locusts swarms invading other

areas, according to Jassem Al

batting desert locusts.

schools in order to enable these schools to pay the salaries of their teachers and employees.

He added that the union has called for giving a special discount to needy students, adding that some schools had provided the necessary aid to students while others had allocated free seats for charitable institutions.

anti-locust conference

International team to formulate plans

had recently eradicated all strategic areas of the country

from locusts. Necessary arran-

gements to address any future

locust invasions had also been

Training

completed intensive field training in the fighting of locusts. The

training course began last December and ended in April.

The first training course was

attended by 14 agronomists, the second by 15 agronomists while

the third and fourth training

National cadres had recently

Kuwait to join FAO

undertaken.

The official denied there is any difference between the level of government schools and private ones, saying the curriculum in both types of school is the same except in the English language curriculum.

Dr Abed added that the union was keen to upgrade private schools levels, and that the major

the Ministry of Education. This

is to comply with the policy of the

authority to upgrade technical capabilities of staff working in

the agriculture field at the state's

ministries and institutions,

Bader said. The courses covered

theoretical and practical aspects

related to fighting of locusts in

addition to paying field visits to the country's strategic areas which are liable to be exposed to

Speaking of the locust invasion in Kuwait last year, the

official said that there were four

locust invasions which arrived

locust invation.

problem facing such schools was the buildings. The union has asked the Ministry of Education to reaffirm its support for these schools by allocating the necessary plots for them to build thier own headquarters.

The official expressed regret that some schools were resorting to illegal competition in the

imposition of tuition fees, even though such fees are defined by the Ministry of Education. Unfortunately, he said, some schools had reduced their fees in order to compete with their counterparts. This issue has been discussed with ministry officials, who expressed no readiness to intervene, he said.



Exhibition on Kuwaiti heritage

Assistant Undersecretary at the Ministry of Education Suad Al Refai opened on Thursday an exhibition on Kuwaiti heritage at the Umm Al

from Iraq and Saudi Arabia. Bader, director of Botanic courses were attended by all Wafra and Abdali areas were Department at Kuwait's Public employees working in the Please forward all questions to Action Line, Arab Times, PO Box 2270, 13023, Safat, Kuwait, or fax your questions to us on Fax No. 4847495. For further details call 4813566 ext 285. prevention field. most affected. Agricultural areas Authority for Agriculture The fourth seminar was attenaffected have been estimated to be 4.570 hectares. Bader said that the authority ded also by 17 agronomists from

Study under way to solve Kuwait traffic DIRECTOR of the General Traffic Department and the vice chairman of the Higher Traffic Council Brig. Fuad Musaed Al Saleh has said that the council had made several important proposals and studies aimed at solving the traffic

problem in Kuwait. He said the council, which was established in 1982, had proposed the establishment of driving schools and a company to run them. He added that the council also proposed the imposition of restrictions to the use of light trucks (pick-ups). Saleh said that the authority of the council is consultative only and that all proposals and studies are submitted to the Interior Ministry. If the proposals are accepted, decisions for their enforcement are issued by the ministry. The council is headed by the ministry undersecretary.

Saleh added that the council had

proposed to the GCC General Secretariat to carry out a comprehensive study on the causes of accidents in all the GCC states. Another proposal was sent to the General Secretariat of the GCC to study the high percentage of exhaust fumes from cars in GCC states. He said that the council had completed a study on the establishment of an institute for training police and submitted it to the department of studies and research at the Interior Ministry. KD200,000 has been already allocated for

Private testing Saleh added that the council had studied a report by the Board Safety Society on carrying out vehicle testing in private workshops, and referred the study to the Technical Vehicle Testing Section of the Traffic Department which later approved

The interior minister last week issued a decision permitting private garages to carry out annual vehicle testing, currently done by the Traffic Department.

Saleh said the council had also studied road safety and made a proposal calling for the use of seat belts in Kuwait. He added that the council also proposed the use of large scales to weigh trucks entering Kuwait at border posts.

Traffic centre Saleh said the council had proposed the establishment of a centre for traffic studies and research and is also studying the issue of traffic movement and flow in the country including the organisation of traffic lights and other important signs. He said the council had studied the issue of taxes in Kuwait at length, and has decided to establish a shareholding company for taxes which will start with the airport tax.

Saleh added that the council had also made a study on the ways to limit the number of vehicles in Kuwait and came out with a number of proposals which were submitted to the Council of Ministers.

problems

Another proposal was to stop issuing new licences for public transport buses except for government use. The council also suggested banning the use of facecover by women drivers and a decision to this effect was later issued by the Interior

Concerning future studies and plans being prepared by the council, Saleh said that a proposal is under study to work out a five-year-plan for traffic in Kuwait, which will include the requirements of the country from vehicles and equipment. The council is also studying standards for the import of cars, the optimal number of vehicles in Kuwait.

Disease free certificate a must for new expatriates

to the country for the first time should obtain a certificate from Kuwait's Medical Examination Centre declaring that he is free from contagious diseases such as

He added that the centre stopped medical tests of leprosy in September last year after six months of opening the centre

without finding any case of leprosy among 70,000 persons examined during that period. After some cases of meningitis began vaccinations in October 1988.

Timings
Uwaish said that any expatriate worker who needs the centre's certificate should bring his passport, No Objection Certificate, two photos and a stamp of ten dinars which is the medical examination charge. Certificates are provided within a week.

Monzer Primary School for Girls in Hawalli.

ANY expatriate worker coming tuberculosis, AIDS, malaria.

The centre began its activities in March 1988 to protect the country from being infected with contagious diseases imported into the country by expatriate workers, according to Dr Rashed Al Uwaish, the director of the centre.

The centre is open from 7:00 am to 7:00 pm on normal working days

Fingerprint regulations

EXPATRIATES must complete their fingerprints and medical examinations within two months after entering the country, according to Lt Col Eid Abdullah Al Mutairi, director of the personal investigation department for Hawalli governorate.

Expatriates may have their prints done at any of the four governorates' personal investigation departments, he said, adding that it takes a full week to issue a criminal record certificate so petitioners should plan their time accordingly.

The department also takes the fingerprints of both citizens and expatriates over the age of 15 for the civil ID card. Mutairi urged petitioners to bring with them all the required paperwork in order to speed up processing.

No increase in rent allowance

THE government of Kuwait has no intention at present to increase rent allowances given by the state to Kuwaiti families ment houses, according to an official source.

Achieving the recommenda-tions of HH the Crown Prince and Prime Minister to shorten the waiting period of citizens to obtain government housing will provide the best solution towards comfortable living standards and surroundings for Kuwaiti families, Naser Al Roudhan, minister of state for housing affairs, said.

Regulations In a related development, Roudhan said that the Public Housing Authority may agree to provide Kuwaiti women married to non-Kuwaitis and who have children, rent allowance instead

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This move has been approved by the Higher Council within the framework of a draft law of sing services being reviewed by the Council of Ministers and studied by the ministerail legislative committee, Roudhan said, and added that applications of Kuwaiti women married to non-Kuwaitis to get government houses will be treated according to present regulations.

Applications that will be submitted after the approval of the draft law will be treated according to the new regulations, the official said.

The Public Housing Authority will distribute flats at the Sawaber Complex after completion of some formalities with citizens, Roudhan said.

Health minister orders medical enquiry board

KUWAIT, April 14, (KUNA): Thursday ordered the setting up of a board of enquiry to probe any error committed by treating physicians.

The committee will comprise Secretary-General of the Kuwait Institute for Medical Specialities Dr Abdalla Al Rifai, Chief Surgeon at the Amiri Hospital Dr Hilal Al Sayer, neurologist Dr Raad Shaker, Head of the Gastroensnaker, Head of the Gastroen-terologist Section in Farwan-iyah Hospital Dr Ashmawi Abdul Wahab, Senior Nutri-tion Expert Dr Khairy Najib and the ministry's legal adviser Yehia Aboul Futtoh. Under the decision, the com-

mittee may at the end of its investigation either order disciplinary action, report to the concerned state authority or decide to keep records of the

In all cases, however, the committee is to report its findings within one week, including recommended course of action, to the Health Ministry's undersecretary, who in turn, will submit the matter to the

New French school ONE more French School will be opened by September, according to sources at the French

The sources said the Kuwaiti authorities recently "granted permission" to open another French school in the country. The new school will be recogn-

ised by the French government, and will be opened by a "new owner." Enrolment will start before the school's opening in

The curriculum will be "compatible" with the programme of the "best French schools."

Seminar on dangerous chemicals held

By Jamai Amin A SEMINAR on "dangerous chemicals" was recently organ-ised by the State of Kuwait in cooperation with the GCC General

> Secretariat. Speaking to Al Seyassah, Ibrahim Hadi, secretary-general of the Kuwait Environmental Protection Council, said that the seminar aimed at organising the purchase and export operations of dangerous chemicals, establishing a control apparatus in member states and set up a specialised data base.

The seminar discussed several working papers submitted by GCC member state represen-

national organisation had highlighted certain measures which are followed by some European countries with respect to dangerous chemicals.

GCC governing policies to be laid down

Recommendations

The GCC General Secretariat had recommended that each of the member states should create a national unit for laying down policies governing imports and exports of these chemicals. The recommendations called for conducting a comprehensive survey of all imported and exported

The official added that the secretariat had called for training of national cadres in the chemical field in addition to setting up

tatives. Experts of the interplants to light any disaster that may result from chemical accidents.

Further, the GCC General Secretariat called for supporting scientific research related to chemicals in addition to forming a co-ordination committee at each member state to oversee activities of the chemical units in these states.

The seminar was attended by representatives from the six GCC member states and environmental experts from the World Health Organisation (WHO), and the International Organisation for the Registration of Chemicals affiliated to the UN Environment and Food and Agriculture Organisation.

Five years

KUWAIT'S Criminal Court

accused had connived to rob their well-to-do neighbour and monitored her movements. On the day of the incident, the woman had left her flat to go shopping. The accused broke into the flat and were in the process of escaping with the stolen articles when the woman suddently returned to fetch her electricity bill she had forgotten.

woman and tied her up in her bathroom. Keeping the loot on the roof building they reported the incident against an anon-ymous thief to the local police

positive identification by the vic-

Kuwait University to reconsider promotions

KUWAIT University is positively inclined to reconsider the existing promotion system of teachers, but the issue had been presently deferred pending the preparation of a special study, according to a university official.

All academic programmes currently being implemented by the university will be evaluated in a three-fold plan which has already been endorsed by the university board, Dr Ahmad Bishara, vice rector for scientific affairs at Kuwait University

Proof

He went on to state that the recently approved promotion system required teachers to prove thier abilities and

level. The system no longer stres-sed the minimum achievement percentage. Vital is the content and the place that the teacher's contribution or work was publi-

The automatic renewal of the contract system will be reconsidered in light of the proposed evaluation plan and that the new regulations will be applicable to staff nominated for promotion

Bishara stressed the impor-tance of scientific research in developing the level of existing scientific programmes, teaching methodologies and the teaching process. He also attached importance to the publication of research studies undertaken by the university in international magazines and scientific chroni-cles.

for robbery

sentenced two men to five-years in jail with hard labour for rob-The court was told that the

The culprits assaulted the

They were arrested basedon a

New Videotex system to be marketed this month

THE Arab Communications Company will begin marketing the new Videotex system this month, according to Salman Al Roumi, assistant undersecretary for technical affairs at the Ministry of Communica-

Roumi also commented that a great number of the television aerials being used by citizens are unauthorised, although large sums of money are being spent to acquire them. The ministry has on many occasions called on both companies and individuals to obtain the necessary official licence before importing aerials which fail to meet approved

Meanwhile, Roumi said that negotiations had been resumed with the contractor in charge of installing the proposed underwater telecommunications cable between Bahrain and Kuwait, now that the Gulf was has come to a half.

He added that the ministry had prepared a public questionnaire on a number of proposed subscriber services, including those called "Don't Disturb," "Call Me Up," Operator Calling System," and others. Expansion

Roumi urged all subscribers to keep their telephones out of the reach of children, and to avoid making unnecessary calls in order to reduce pressure on exchange offices and ensure the availability of lines for others. He added that the ministry is planning to further expand its services by building new exchange offices in various locations and increasing the line capacity of existing offices.

Health grading

A GRADING system for family doctors is currently being con-sidered by the Ministry of Public Health, according to Dr Man-sour Sarkhoh, head of the College of Family Medicine at the Kuwait Institute for Medical Specialisations.

Dr Sarkhon told a press conference that since one of the main characteristics of family medicine is that it is an independent specialisation, the College of Pamily Medicine has organised a three-year training programme in co-operation with England's Royal College of Physicians. - -

Family doctors are closely connected with their patients, and this means a better doctorpatient relationship, Dr Sarkhol said. Since under the proposed system family doctors will treat up to 95 per cent of his patients and refer only five per cent to hospitals, the new system would save the ministry a great deal of money, he said.

The family medicine programme has graduated two classes of 25 specialised doctors. Dr Sarkhob said. The faculty has ten instructors who are specialised in the field.

Military conference

THE 3rd International Conference on Military Science and Technologies held recently in Cairo focused on the applications and the introduction of computerised and electronic strategic military equipment designed to raise the combat capabilities of aircraft.

Dr Yaqoub Al Obaid, former dean of the College of Technological Studies at the Public Authority for Applied Educa-tion and Training, said that this important conference also included discussions on missiles of varying capabilities, chemical warfare, ways to reduce aircraft weight, ways to deal with aircraft fissure and cracks as a result of ageing, and other topics of tactical significance. Obaid stressed the need for

holding such conferences on a regular basis in the Arab world. to improve existing military equipment and generate and support military research activities.

Book festival

THE tenth festival for childrens' books and toys organised by the National Council for Culture, Arts: and Literature recently concluded its activities, a local daily reported.

Annal A. Chanem, head of the child culture section at the council, said that the festival had more than 111,814 visitors. The morning period alone saw a total of 8,618 students.

Hisham Al Mathloum from the Culture and Information office in Sharjah, Dr Bahiya Al Hashi, head of the childhood section in Bahrain, and other dig-

nitaries visited the festival. Ghanem said that the council will conduct a study to determine the type of reading material children in Kuwait are most attracted to. Another study will also be undertaken to specify toys that are educative and also liked by

Cleaning services

KUWAIT Municipality intends to include cleaning of toilets with the contract for the cleaning of the housing areas in different parts of the country, according to an official source.
The official said that the minis-

try is presently undertaking a scrutinising process of all com-panies that have contracted to undertake cleaning services. Those companies who have been found to be waning in their services will not be eligible for renewal of contracts.

He added that inspectors of municipal centres follow up works of cleaning companies in the housing areas to ensure that no terms of the contract are violated.

Drug conference

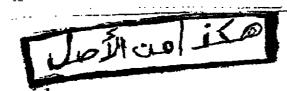
THE Islamic World League in co-operation with the Islamabad-based World Islamic University will organise a con-ference on drugs, Secretary-General of the Islamic World League Dr Abdullah Omer Nasif was quoted as saying.
In an interview with Qatari News Agency (QNA), Nasil said

that the proposed conference will be held at Karachi on May 3 and will be patronised by the Pakistani President Ghulam Ishaq The conference will debate several issues including the attitude of Islam towards nar-

cotics, liquor, and smoking. The

conference will also discuss methods of increasing treatment centres for addicts in poor coun-Nasif added that the conference will also debate the role of the family towards protecting the new generation from these

epidemics, in addition to developing international co-operation in drawing up a strategy for eradicating these vices and the role of the media in positively contributing to these eradication efforts.



UN chief calls for Gulf restraint

UNITED NATIONS, April 14, (Reuter): Secretary-General Javier Perez de Cuellar announced yesterday that the foreign ministers of Iran and Iraq agreed to have further direct talks under his auspices in Geneva beginning on April 20.

His statement, read to reporters, said he hoped "that both countries will exercise maximum restraint in order to create the proper atmosphere and continue to make gestures of goodwill."

accused the other of violations of a UN-brokered ceasefire that went into effect on August 20 last year, halting eight years of war. Foreign Ministers Ali Akbar Velayati of Iran and Tareq Aziz of Iraq held two rounds of direct talks in Geneva last year but made little progress towards tur-

ning the ceaselire into a perman-

ent settlement of their nations'

Giuliani said the new talks. arranged in recent, separate lower-level consultations in New York, would be "open-ended" but last at least two days. He said the secretary-general would be in Geneva until April 25, when he is due in Poland for an official visit.

Perez de Cuellar said the new meetings were an important opportunity to move toward full and rapid implementation of the Security Council's peace plan adopted on July 20, 1987 and

"the achieving of good neighbourly relations." "This task should be pursued with urgency, determination and goodwill," he said.

The statement said Perez de Cuellar and his representative Jan Eliasson, the chief delegate of Sweden, emphasised the need for the withdrawal of forces without delay to internationally recognised boundaries, the release and repatriation of war prisoners and a speedy start to

comprehensive settlement of all outstanding issues.

"In this context, pragmatic arrangements, particularly with regard to the economic life of the two countries, may well be needed to hasten the return to normality," the statement said.

Perez de Cuellar and Eliasson had underscored the urgent need to implement the Security Council peace plan resolution.

differences. UN spokesman Francois Polls impossible "without PLO" Mubarak returns from Amman

CAIRO, April 14, (Reuter): Egyptian President Hosni Mubarak yesterday said that elections in the occupied territories proposed by Israel could not take place without the

PLO's consent. Mubarak was speaking to reporters at Cairo airport on his arrival from Amman where he had talks with Jordan's King Hussein on the Arab-Israeli con-

Mubarak and Hussein have not ruled out elections in the West Bank and Gaza Strip, scene of a 16-month-long Palestinian uprising against Israeli rule, but find Israeli Prime Minister Yitzhak Shamir's proposals inadequate.

"I and King Hussein want to know the PLO's opinion on the elections. Our efforts are meant to reinforce the Palestinian cause," Mubarak was quoted by the official Middle East News Agency (MENA) as saying.

Mubarak and Hussein favour an international conference on the Middle East attended by all parties involved, including the PLO. Israel rejects the idea.

Neither I nor King Hussein can replace the PEO," Mubarak told a questioner who asked if Egypt would represent the Palestinians in peace talks.

"The PLO must itself attend any negotiations and express its ideas. The land belongs to the Palestinians ... not me." he said. Shamir, who refuses to talk to the PLO, last week proposed that Palestinians in the West Bank

83 military takeover.

ISTANBUL, April 14, (Reuter): Prime Minister Turgut Ozal offered pay rises of between 100 and

120 per cent to state sector workers yesterday to

soothe Turkey's worst labour unrest since the 1980-

refused to shave, have boycotted lunches and repor-

ted sick after mass marches to hospitals to support

union demands for higher pay.

About 40,000 workers made such gestures in at

least four Turkish cities yesterday, union sources

Some marchers were injured in clashes with riot

police in Istanbul and others blocked traffic for

Since Monday tens of thousands of workers have

and Gaza Strip elect representatives to negotiate an interim period of limited self-rule. The poll is conditional on the end of the Palestinian uprising in the occupied territories.

Mubarak said he had heard differing PLO views on the elections. Some had approved the idea on condition they took place under international supervision.

Others had said "free and democratic" elections were only possible after Israeli withdrawal from the occupied lands, seized during the 1967 Middle East war.

That is why it is necessary to get in touch with PLO leader Yasser Arafat for our opinions to crystallise," Mubarak added.

Presidential adviser Ossama Baz said Arafat was expected in Cairo in the next few days to discuss the latest peace efforts with Mubarak. Arafat is also expected to fly to

the Israeli proposal has received cautious backing. ● In Washington Shamir said yesterday the Jewish state could not survive if it withdrew from

Jordan ahead of Hussein's talks

in Washington next week where

the West Bank and Gaza Strip. His comments, in a speech to American newspaper editors, seemed to firmly reject President Bush's recent calls for an end to Israeli occupation as part of a final peace settlement.

"The truth is if we withdrew there will be a PLO state on the outskirts of Tel Aviv and Jerusalem and war," the hardline Israeli leader told the editors.

Ozal offers pay rise to soothe labour

the sources said.

ment would start today.



Dump survey

hours on one lane of the Istanbul-Ankara highway,

said after a meeting with Turk-is Union head Sevket

Yilmaz, who said full negotiations with the govern-

thre is a softening or not," Yilmaz said.

'Yes, there is a softening (on both sides)," Ozal

We will see at the end of the negotiations whether

Turkish inflation was 75 per cent in 1988 and economists said workers' real income dropped a quarter in the year. Inflation fell slightly in 1989 to 64 per cent at end-March but industrial growth has

A peasant soldier of the Tigray People's Liberation Front (TPLF) surveys the charred remains of an ammunition dump in this undated picture. The Ethiopian Army set ablaze the dump before abandoning the provincial capital Mekele and leaving the entire northern Tigray province in rebel hands. (Reuter wire-

MIDEAST BRIEFS

Envoy defends sale of bombers

WASHINGTON, April 14, (Reuter): Soviet Ambassador Yuri Dubinin yesterday defended Moscow's sale of long-range bombers to Libya and said it should not raise doubts about the Kremlin's commitment to Middle East peace.

Speaking to American newspaper editors, he said the sale was completed a long time ago and insisted the planes "are not so modern" as Israeli aircraft.

"That is why it is not at all a basis to put into question the whole policy in the Soviet Union, the new thinking in our policy, and our policy in the Middle East," Dubinin said.

Egypt plans Red Sea bridge

LONDON, April 14, (Reuter): Egypt is considering building a bridge across the narrow entrance of the Gulf of Aqaba to link it to Saudi Arabia, a Saudi-owned newspaper yesterday quoted an Egyptian minister as saying.

The London-based Asharq Al Awsat said the eight kms (five miles) bridge over the Red Sea, would allow the passage of ships to major ports on the Gulf of Aqaba 200 kms (140 miles) at the northern end of the Gulf — Jordan's only port of Aqaba and Israel's Eilat. Egypt also has a small port, Noweiba, on the Gulf

Bomb attack injures five

CAIRO, April 14, (Reuter): Five people were injured when an unidentified man threw two home-made petrol bombs from a speeding train in the Egyptian oasis town of Fayoum, officials

The unexplained attack on Tuesday night follows the arrest last Friday of 41 alleged Muslim radicals in Fayoum, 100 km (60 miles) southwest of Cairo.

The town was the scene of Egypt's latest clashes between security forces and Muslim fundamentalists seeking implementation of strict Islamic law (sharia).

Pakistani beheaded

RIYADH, April 14, (Reuter): A Pakistani convicted of murder was beheaded in the holy Muslim city of Medina, Saudi Arabia,

local newspapers reported yesterday. Quoting an Interior Ministry statement, the newspapers named the man in Arabic as Fadl Nabi Gholam Nabi and said he

was beheaded on Wednesday in a public square after being convicted of murdering two of his countrymen. Saudi Arabia, home of Islam's holiest shrines, implements the strict rules of sharia (Islamic law) which stipulates beheading by a sword for murderers.

Planned meeting postponed

VIENNA, April 14, (Reuter): A meeting planned for today in Vienna between Palestinian leader Yasser Arafat and Israeli opposition parliamentarians has been postponed, a PLO official said yesterday.

The meeting, arranged with Austrian government help, had been put off indefinitely "because of questions of agenda and technical reasons," a spokesman for the Vienna office of Arafat's Palestine Liberation Organisation said.

Neither PLO nor Austrian officials would name the Israelis due to have taken part.

Archaeologists uncover baths

LONDON, April 14, (KUNA): British archaeologists have uncovered what they believe to be London's first and largest Roman public bath house, it was reported here yesterday.

A detailed excavation of the site has suggested that the citizens

of first century AD London washed regularly, kept fit in an exercise room and enjoyed an early form of sauna. Mixed bathing was also apparently common, until prohibited by the Roman Emperor Hadrian in the second century, experts

Archaeologists had dated the baths between 70 and 80 AD, making them contemporary with previously excavated baths in other areas of southern England, notably Bath itself, Colchester

Islam is second religion

and St Albans.

ROME, April 14, (KUNA): Islam became the second religion after Christianity in Italy, a prominent local daily reported

il-Missaggero paper in a report published yesterday on the spread of the Islamic religion in Europe said that the number of Muslims at the beginning of this year reached 300,000 most of them Arab and non-Arab emigrants.
The paper further said that 10,000 Italians entered Islam in the

past years noting that their number will increase as a result of Islamic organisations active role in spreading Islam especially in Milano, north Italy.

'Kabul offensive soon'

Rebels cut off supply routes

KABUL, April 14, (Agencies): Afghan troops today battled Muslim rebels blocking two key supply routes in an effort to starve the capital into surrender.

The government confirmed yesterday the Salang highway running north to the Soviet border had been cut

off at two points, stalling much-needed supplies of food and fuel.

The last convoy arrived in Kabul on April 6, but an explosion ripped through an oil depot in the capital and destroyed about a dozen of the 70 fuel trucks.

The blockade has left tons of supplies piled along the border, said diplomats who insisted on anonymity. The other highway running east from Kabul to the shell-shocked city of Jalalabad has been closed to all traffic except military convoys, said Foreign Ministry spokesman Mohammad Nabi Amani.

The rebels control about 35 kilometres (20 miles) of the high-Stop debate, UN told

der with Pakistan. One diplomat said the rebels had commandeered a convoy of empty trucks returning to the provincial capital of Jalalabad, parked them along the road and then placed mines inside.

way, the major route to the bor-

With the two main roads to the capital blocked, the Soviet Union has been airlifting food and military equipment to Kabul to help the government of President Najib hold out against the rebels, known as muja-

But the airlist provides less than half of the 650 tons of flour the city of 2.25 million people needs daily, and shortages of essential supplies have sent prices

Supplies also are being airlifted into the besieged cities of Jalalabad and Khost, according to one senior Soviet source, speaking on condition of anony-

The diplomats said the Salang highway had been cut by rebel Commander Ahmad Shah Masood and his Jamiat-i-Islami group, which has struck deals in the past with the pro-Soviet government to allow some convoys through.

The mujahedeen have made blockades a primary tactic in their fight to overthrow the Marxist government that seized power in an April 1978 coup. ' Amani said the Salang road

had been cut near the towns of Olang and Jabalassana. He said operations were under way to clear the rebels from the

Kabul. However, he added, fierce

fighting continued near the southern towns of Khost and Ghazni.

were killed, he said.

Kabul, Tehran Radio reported. Salang and Jalalabad highways

ISLAMABAD, April 14, (Reuter): An Afghan rebel government on Wednesday asked the United Nations to halt a Security Council debate on Afghanistan or focus on what it called Soviet and Indian interference in the country.

The Prime Minister of the Pakistan-based interim cabinet made the

demand as it met inside Afghanistan for the second time in just over a month to discuss its fight against the Soviet-backed government in Abdurrab Rasul Sayyaf told UN Secretary-General Javier Perez de

Cuellar in a message released in Islamabad that the debate, which was requested by the Kabul government and began on Tuesday, had been prompted by a "baseless complaint of an illegitimate regime."
If the council does discuss the issue, it should consider the continua-

tion of Russian interference in Afghanistan and the reported interference of India," he said. Some Afghan rebel groups have accused India of supplying pilots for Afghan jets after the Soviet Union completed the withdrawal of more

than 100,000 troops from Afghanistan in February. India has denied the charges.
Sayyaf said Soviet advisers were still involved in the war. Soviet pilots were flying Afghan bombers and a retired Soviet Army officer was helping to launch long-range Soviet Scud-B missiles against the rebels.

and predicted the roads would be

open by the weekend.

The Foreign Ministry spokesman also said fighting had eased around Jalalabad, a provincial capital located about 112 kilometres (70 miles) east of

Amani said six government soldiers died while beating back rebels on three fronts around Khost. At least 185 rebels.

The Iran-based Afghan mujahedeen said that the rebels will start an offensive against Afghan forces near the capital city

Mohammad Karim Khalili. spokesman of the Iran-based mujahedeen, said at a press conference in Tehran, that "forces in the city of Meidan, near Kabul, and in Ghazni and areas to the north of the capital are preparing to start operations, and soon a new front will be opened near

Kabul," the radio said. At least two Saudis have died fighting the Soviet-backed Kabul government in Afghanistan, Saudi Press reports said.

The Joddah-based Englishlanguage daily Arab News said Khalid Mulla Al Ahmadi, a married English literature major from King Abdul Aziz University with three children, was killed while fighting government troops around Jalalabad airport.

'Iranian Nights', inspired by Rushdie

LONDON, April 14, (AP): A new play inspired by the controversy over Salman Rushdie's novel The Satanic Verses opens in London next week to cot ter what one of its two authors, himself Muslim-

born, refers to as a "climate of fear," "Iranian Nights" begins a 10-day run on April 19 at the Royal Court Theatre. It was written by Howard Brenton, the left-wing English playwright.

and Tariq Ali, an Oxford-educated Pakistani who like Rushdie, was born a Muslim. "Arabian Nights" stories, aims to promote a fuller, more "educative" vision of Islam than the fanatical

image conveyed by Islamic fundamentalism. It was written as a direct response to the plight of Rushdie, a naturalised British citizen born in India.

Sudanese rebels shell garrisons in Juba

NAIROBI, Kenya, April 14, (Agencies): Sudanese rebels yes-terday claimed to have started shelling Army garrisons in the southern capital of Juba, a key city in the United Nation's relief effort aimed at averting famine

Relief officials in Nairobi said UN personnel in Juba contacted by radio reported no shelling by last afternoon. The officials could not comment immediately on what effect, if any, the rebel claim could have on the relief effort_

The rebel Sudan People's Liberation Army said long-range artillery bombardment of Army garrisons in Juba, a city crowded with an estimated 300,000 residents and war refugees, was to start at 3 pm (1300 GMT) and continue for four days. The announcement came in a broadcast monitored by the British Broadcasting Corp. in Nairobi.

Juba's airstrip was being used by a UN-organised relief project to stock 170,000 metric tons of food and supplies in southern Sudan before seasonal rains make roads impassable. The United Nations warns that the relief effort could prevent 100,000 people in the war-

wracked south from starving.

Juba, the capital of Sudan's southernmost province of Equatoria, has remained in government hands throughout the six-year-old war but frequently has come under rebel fire. The rebels have been tightening their siege of the city this year.

The Christian and animist

rebels took up arms against the Muslim-dominated Sudanese government in 1983, demanding autonomy and a larger share of Sudan's wealth and development for the south.

They have shot down civilian and relief planes and attacked truck, train and barge convoys, accusing the Army of using them to ferry supplies to its soldiers.

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Have fewer children, says Mubarak

CAIRO, April 14, (Reuter): Egyptian President Hosni Mubarak told his countrymen on Wednesday there was food for all provided they stopped having

so many children. "If people did not have eight, nine or 12 children there would not be a food problem," he said before flying to talks on Middle East peace with Jordanian King Hussein at the Red Sea port of

Egypt's population of 54 million is reported by local media to be expanding at the rate of a million every seven months, and opposition newspapers carry almost daily reports of flour

shortages, bread queues and rising prices.
"I feel like someone who is trying to budge open an iron door weighing 100 tonnes," Mubarak said in response to questions over inflation, unemployment and bread supplies.

Mubarak's remarks, carried on the state-run television news, were made as Egypt is seeking agreement with the International Monetary Fund (IMF) on rescheduling part of Egypt's \$43 billion foreign debt. Egypt is the world's largest

wheat flour importer, and diplomats said the food import bill was expected to reach bet-ween \$4 billion and \$5 billion in the financial year ending on

More than half the country's food needs are bought abroad. The IMF is demanding Egypt slash food and energy subsidies to balance the state budget. Direct subsidies are said by Egyptian economists to absorb

20 per cent of the government's annual expenditure. "We must all work together. One hand can't clap alone," Mubarak said. "The people have to organise themselves and not expect the government to do everything for them.'

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Lebanon's agony

'Dialogue of the deaf'

By Diana Abdallah

BEIRUT. (Reuter): Despair hung over Lebanon as fierce artillery exchanges took the battered country towards its 15th year of civil war. With peace prospects as remote as ever, rival Syrian and mainly Christian Army troops battled, one day before the anniversary, with artillery across Beirut and its mountains, the last bloody cycle in

The latest bloodbath started in March when Christian Army commander Major-General Michel Aoun blockaded militia ports and vowed to expel Syria's estimated 40,000 troops from Lebanon even if Beirut was flattened

"The country is headed to the unknown amid a dialogue of the deaf," a Western diplomat said.

Lebanon is now without a president and is ruled by two rival governments, a split Army and paralysed Parliament, taking it for the first time close to formal partition.
"With 100,000 killed, 200,000 wounded, a devastated country, we

still take joy in marking the anniversary with new violence," said an editor of a local independent newspaper. The civil war flared on April 13, 1975 when a bus full of Palestinians was ambushed in a Christian suburb of Beirut.

Few then foresaw the conflict, estimated today to have killed 130,000 people, uprooted thousands from their homes and caused damage running into billions of dollars, would last more than a few weeks.

The war, which began on a sectarian note, pitting Christians against Muslims and their Palestinian allies, has now taken regional and international dimensions, while local differences still tear the country

Rival militias carved their own cantons in the first two years of the war, where they ever since imposed their authority.

All roads linking Muslim and Syrian-held areas to a Christian enclave have been closed for the past month, widening the gap between the country's four million people. A West Beirut Christian resident said children who have known

nothing but informal partition question her whenever she visits the east of the city: "What do the Muslims look like?" With Israeli troops occupying part of the south, Syrian troops in the

east and the north and the rest of Lebanon split into militia-run fiefs, central state authority hardly exists. Hopes for many are now pinned on an Arab League committee

trying to find a solution to a political crisis which took a further twist when Parliament failed to elect a new president in September. Lebanese, both Christians and Muslims, say they are fed up with the

war which has plagued every aspect of their lives. But they remain sceptical of any solution as the strife entered its 15th

year and the latest violence reaches new heights. The Lebanese have seen peace efforts come and go. National dialogue conferences, security committees, Muslim demands resisted

by Christians, Christian demands rejected by Muslims - each accompanied by merciless shelling and shooting. Since 1975, alliances have changed and myriad peace plans been proposed. Scores of ceasefires and attempts by local, regional and international powers - some of whom sent troops to Lebanon - have

failed to end the killing. The hallmarks of strife have increased: checkpoints mushrooming across the country, sand barricades splitting cities, shell-shattered houses, shops and offices, and a prolonged economic crisis that has crippled the currency.

Thousands of people, kidnapped along sectarian lines throughout the war, are still missing, most believed dead.

Foreigners too, trying to live normal lives, have been caught up in the power play. Up to 17 Westerners are still missing, believed kidnapped. The militias seem to have an endless supply of weapons ranging from personal pistols to heavy artillery and to be ready to use them even in the most congested residential areas.

Muslims, who have grown in number and power since Lebanon's political system was set up in 1943 favouring the Christians, are making many of the same demands as in 1975. They want more influence in the government, reorganisation of the

Army, a firm policy against Israeli influence and special relations with But the country's Christians are seeking international help to drive

the Syrians out, before talks on political reforms.

France's efforts to end the latest battles and its apparent support to the Christian drive seemed to indicate a new move to internationalise

Press review

No hope in American statements

KUWAIT, (KUNA): Daily Al Rai Al Aam said on Thursday that one should not build hope on the American statements on Israeli withdrawal from the Arab territories occupied in 1967, and the convocation of an international Middle East peace conference.

In its front page editorial the daily asserted that Washington cannot be objective in issues concerning Israel. The US administration is biased to the principle that the solution has to be in favour of Israel and its interest, daily Al Rai Al Aam added.

The US administration did not change its stance toward the Israeli aggressive measures against Palestinians in the occupied lands, the paper noted. In conclusion, the paper expressed fear over the results of the slow

peace process of the Arab co-ordination, adding that what it fears is the breakout of conflict between organisations and institutions that will affect the Palestinian uprising and Israel would have the chance to

TODAY IN HISTORY

1638 - English settlers arrive at what is now New Haven,

1689 - France's King Louis XIV declares war on Spain. 1715 - Prussip Jrujlhanover and Denmark form alliance

against Sweden, and war is declared. 1736 — Baron Theodore of Neuhof is elected king of Corsica. 1856 - Britain, France and Austria guarantee integrity and

independence of Turkey. 1888 — Peasants start uprising in Romania. 1891 - Katanga Company is formed under Leopold of Bel-

gium's direction to exploit copper deposits.

1923—Insulin, discovered by Canadian Dr Frederick Banting,

is made available for general use by diabetics.

1927 — Chiang Kai-Shek organizes government at Nanking in

1942 — Japanese artillery blasts US positions on Corregidor in Philippines in World War II.

1968 - Two unmanned Soviet Sputniks link up while in orbit around earth. 1971 — Ceylon government charges that North Korea

diplomats are aiding leftist guerrillas, and orders them out of country. 1974 — Military coup in West African country of Niger overthrows government of President Hamani Diori.

1977 - Protest marches in Pakistan become violent and at least eight people are reported killed. 1982 - Five militant Muslim fundamentalists are executed in

Egypt as assassins of President Anwar Sadat. 1987 — Philippines-flag vessel sailing to Kuwait with load of Australian sheep is attacked and set ablaze by Iranian gunboat

in central sector of Gulf.

1988 — State of emergency is extended two additional months in Lima, Peru, to fight rising violence by leftist guerrillas.

Glasnost may raise expectations that cannot be satisfied

East Germans refuse to dance to Gorbachev's tune *

By William Echikson

EAST BERLIN: "Verboten."

The salesgirl's voice was shrill. In a swift, sharp movement, she raised her hand in disapproval - and called for her boss to take away the customer's camera. Obviously, the merchandise on display at the Centrum department store was top-secret.

"No photos here," she said. "It's against the rules." Here in hardline East Germany, Erich Honecker's rigid leadership refuses to march to the tune of Mikhail Gorbachev's glasnost. The East Germans fear that "openness" will destabilize them by raising aspirations that cannot be satisfied.

During the Brezhnev period, officials here had little problem selling their tough line. But in the Gorbachev era, the tone has turned

Late last year, the East Germans banned four Soviet films, along with the official Soviet press review, Sputnik, after it published criticisms of Stalin's relationship with Hitler, including one under the headline, "Would Hitler Have Been Possible Without Stalin?" This view questions the purity of communism's "anti-fascist" struggle, so dear to East

Germany's veteran leaders. In interview after interview with East German officials, the same phrases re-emerge: "The Soviet Union has its own reasons for reform ... our system is working well ... each country has the right to make its own

policy."

Living in a divided country, and on the East-West dividing line,

Whether communist or capitalist, makes change a chancy proposition. Whether communist or capitalist, Hungary will remain a state for Hungarians, Poland for Poles. But East Germany was created as a "socialist" state in comparison to its "capitalist" neighbour, which makes it doubly difficult for its rulers to start practicing Western heresies.

"Glasnost and perestroika (restructuring) hit straight at this regime's legitimacy," says a Western diplomat. "Without the ideological raison d'etre of socialism, it will be hard to explain why the state should exist." Soviet leader Gorbachev seems sympathetic to this predicament. He permits reform-minded leaders in Poland and Hundary to move toward democracy, while letting inflexible allies in Bulgaria, Romania, Romania, Czechoslovakia, as well as East Germany, maintain the status quo. Western diplomats say the Soviet leader wants, above all, 'stability" in his empire.

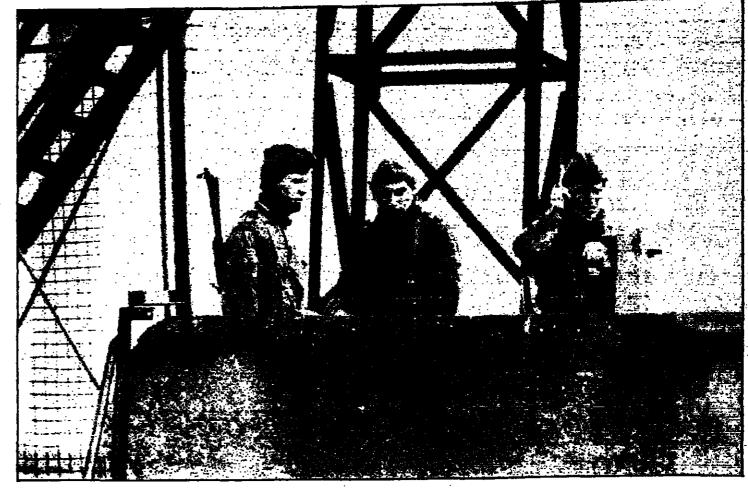
East German diplomats and officials insist that their relations with Moscow remain on an even keel. Pressure for reform, they say, is limited to spurious propaganda from the West.

"We don't feel any pressure, any doubts, any concern from the Soviet Union," says Klaus Wilczynski, diplomatic correspondent for the Berliner Zeitung. "It's the West Germans and the other Westerners who are complaining. Before, they told us to be different from the Soviet Union. Now that we are different, they say we should be like the

Criticism is also mounting within East Germany. Over the past year, the independent Evangelical Church stepped up calls for reform. The regime responded by banning issues of church publications.

"The church is sometimes like children who don't always listen," complains Hans Wilke of the Office of Religious Affairs. "It must respect the construction of socialism.'

Church-based dissidents say their numbers are swelling - along with the number of would-be emigrants to West Germany. The number of emigration applicants remains a state secret, but is estimated to run as high as half a million out of a total population of only 16 1/2 million. "People are ashamed of their country," says Ralf Hirsch, a leader of the Peace and Human Rights Initiative in West Berlin. "More and more



East German border guards monitor the Berlin Wall.

people compare the reforms in the Soviet Union with the lack of change in East Germany and decide they want to leave.'

In the past, East German authorities have defused danger by expelling dissident leaders. Hirsch himself, along with Stephan Krawcyk and Freya Klier, were arrested a year ago and given the choice

between emigration or long prison terms.
"I didn't want to leave," Hirsch says. "But I didn't want to be in prison for eight years."

Another hindrance to the opposition's effectiveness is its isolation from the working-class. Workers are relatively well off, and thus conservative in their political demands. For instance, they they scorn the Polish desire for independent trade unions - "Why don't they just work a little harder," says one butcher, expressing a common opinion.

"We're isolated," admits Gerd Poppe, a leader of the Human Rights Initiative in East Berlin. "We can't count on Gorbachev, and we can't count on ourselves. The pressure from below here is not yet strong

If real change is to come, it might first come from within the party.

The decision to ban Sputnik provoked a surprising amount of grumbling from the lower ranks: some party members even resigned. Criticisms also have been voiced concerning the restrictive press policy

tolerant and open."

The ruling Politburo, almost all veteran anti-Nazi fighters now in their mid-70s, look unable to respond to this budding sentiment. Even if party leader Honecker steps down next year at a party congress, which is by no means certain, no young reformer looks ready to take over.

of the Human Rights Initiative. He places little hope in younger party leaders. In his opinion, they may be less ideologically rigid than their predecessors, but they are just as ruthlessly authoritarian.

"That may be worse than the present generation of hard-line Stalin-

Najibullah's late conversion

From Das Kapital to the Holy Quran

KABUL, (Reuter): Afghan President Najibullah has officially discarded Das Kapital and turned instead to the Holy Quran to win popular support in his fight against Muslim rebels.

Najibullah, head of the once staunchly Communist People's Democratic party of Afghanistan, often attends mosques since Soviet forces withdrew in February his government to fight on alone against the mujahedeen rebels.

And instead of seeking inspiration from Karl Marx's work viewed as the communist Bible, he now quotes verses from the Holy Quran reminding the 15 million Muslims in this impoverished land that the day of judgement is coming and warning them against

Even members of the Communist Party and government officials portray themselves as anti-Soviet in the new campaign for the hearts and minds of the faithful. Najibullah has sought to divide the well-

armed rebel factions arrayed against Kabul, many of them ardently Muslim and all of them anti-communist. Kabul no longer brands rebels based inside

Afghanistan as bandits, but refers to them

almost affectionately as brothers and compatriots. Their struggle against the Soviet troops was also a Jihad (holy war) which left many martyrs. But in contrast Kabul portrays the muja-

hideen leaders based in Pakistan as a bunch of warmongers seeking power at any cost. "We say enough to brothers killing broth-

brothers and seek Aliah's guidance and solve our problems," Najibullah said in a message to rebel commanders in Afghanistan. 'We in the government have chosen the path of God and his prophet," said the leader who is remembered as a devout Muslim by

fellow students during his days as a Kabul University medical student. He has offered to share power with the mujahedeen provided they respond to his appeal for a negotiated settlement to the 10year-old Afghan war. He has offered to meet them in the Muslim holy city of Makkah in

Saudi Arabia But so far the rebels have sourned his olive branch - and sceptical Kabulis view the President's public embrace of Islam with deep

Najibullah's problem is that he is

and advisors reigned supreme in Afghanistan, much to the disgust of the proud Afghans.

His former role as head of the Khad secret police has also left a legacy of bitterness. undermining public confidence in him as an honest leader committed to an independent

Asked if Najibullah's new-found piety had produced a positive perception of his govern-ment, a taxi driver said: "You must be joking. People cannot easily forget more than 10 years of communist rule and believe these cheap tricks."

He added: "The Russians have dealt the most severe blow to this country, something

the Afghans will never forget."

The driver said one of his sons serving with the Afghan Army had been killed by the mujahideen. "But I blame the Russians for his death. They set brother against brother."

Hatred of communism and the Soviet Union are the norm among ordinary Kabulis, although that does not mean they support the mujahedeen wholeheartedly.

Rockets fired at residential areas of Kabul

have taken their toll and the war-weary population curses the mujahedeen leadership for inflicting further suffering on them.

associated with the period when Soviet troops History is being reinterpreted in Hungary

1956 uprising seen through 'glasnost' eyes

of the rebellion known ever since to its sup-

"counter-revolution."

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porters as a "revolution" and its opponents as

Less than two weeks later, after Nagy had

announced Hungary's withdrawal from the

Warsaw Pact, Soviet tanks invaded Budapest

to install a new party leadership under Janos

of "counter-revolutionaries" were executed

Although Kadar is said to have promised Nagy his life, the man still regarded as a hero by many was convicted of treason and han-

ged. For nearly 32 years, the subject of 1956

was kept firmly underground. Even the burial

The rebellion was put down and hundreds

premier on October 24, 1956, the second day

By David Lewis BUDAPEST, (Reuter): Three gaping holes in

Plot 301 of Budapest's sprawling Kozma Street Cemetery offer a stark and literal image of how Hungary is digging up its past. From these three unkempt and unmarked

graves the bodies of communist Prime Minister Imre Nagy and four associates have just been exhumed, to be reburied in marked graves on June 16, the 31st anniversary of Nagy's execution for treason during the 1956

The open graves symbolise the spirit of glasnost which has swept Hungary since Janos Kadar was ousted last May from the post of party leader which he had filled since being installed by Soviet tanks sent in to quash the rebellion. History is being reinterpreted as Hungary

prepares to restore - as Nagy did briefly in 1956 — the multi-party system suppressed by the communists 40 years ago.

There are awkward political problems for

the Communist Party and also a question on which neither the party nor 1956 veterans can agree: can, and should. Nagy be given a full diplomatic rehabilitation by the Communist Party?

Reformers like Politburo member Imre Pozsgay believe Hungary cannot progress without clearing up unpleasant corners of its past which divide the population. But 1956 is an extremely sensitive issue for

Hungary and its communist rulers. "It lies at the heart of Hungary's current political system," one Western diplomat said. And any reinterpretation of those events calls into question its very legitimacy."

A reformist who had already served as

prime minister from 1953-55, Nagy became

But since last May, when Kadar and his old guard were replaced in the party's Politburo by Karoly Grosz and a string of reformers, not only Nagy himself but the whole subject of 1956 is being unearthed and reassessed A party sub-committee on history said this year the 1956 rebellion was a "popular upris-

ing," not a "counter-revolution."

Popular uprisings being conceptually close to revolutions, many in the party found this reinterpretation too hard to take and rejected it as over-simplistic. If 1956 was a popular uprising, this would imply that those who repressed it - among them the Soviet Union were the real counter-revolutionaries.

Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev told Grosz in Moscow last month he rejected 1956style interventions and promised Hungarian historians access to Soviet archives on the

Yugoslavia, which had a hand in deciding how the rebellion and Nagy were treated, is also opening its records to Hungary.

"I do not believe in Imre Nagy's political rehabilitation," Grosz said last week, asked if this would be possible before the reburial on June 16. But he said the party would review its position if new facts emerged.

Noting that Nagy's speeches and new books on him were now available in Hungarian shops, top party ideologist Janoz Berecz said Nagy's political rehabilitation had already started.

But officials say formal party rehabilitation is unlikely as it would embarrass East bloc countries who were involved in agreeing to the intervention and in the pressure for Nagy to be executed.

Pressure for teburial of Nagy and his associates — his secretary Jozsef Szilagyi, Defence Minister Pal Maleter, journalist Miklos Gimes and Minister of State Geza Losonczy — has been spearheaded by the committee for historical justice.

But even members of the committee, for-

med 10 months ago by 1956 veteran 'revolutionaries" and relatives of those executed, cannot agree about whether the party should rehabilitate Nagy. Historian Gyorgy Litvan who spent four

years in jail for activities following 1956, believes it should. Speaking at Nagy's graveside, however, fellow committee member Andras B.

Hegedus said formal rehabilitation by the party would be "ridiculous." And Nagy's daughter Erzsebet suggested she did not consider the current ruling party worth to rehabilitate her father.

"I am not even asking this party to do it," she said at her father's open grave. '... Only a new constitutional state could give moral and political satisfaction to the revolutionaries and freedom fighters of 1956,

to Imre Nagy, his associates and all of us."

and the lack of economic reform. "In party meetings, members have been getting up and protesting the Sputnik banning," says Irene Runge, a sociologist at Humbolt University. "There's a feeling that the party must become less rigid, more

"We have no Gorbachev," mourns Werner Fischer, another leader

"Our younger communists are pragmatic Stalinists," he concludes.

North Korea faces growing isolation

By Mark O'Nelli: Lad Law or septimental

PYONGYANG, (Reuter): North Korea faces growing isolation because of its extremist image, its failure to repay foreign debts and a successful diplomatic offensive by the booming south. Sweden and Austria have withdrawn their diplomats from

Pyongyang, leaving a Finnish commercial secretary as the sole West European diplomat permanently in North Korea. Pyongyang angrily downgraded relations with Hungary to charge d'Affaires level after Budapest established diplomatic ties with Seoul in

February. The Soviet Union followed Yugoslavia in opening a trade office in Seoul earlier this month and will be followed by Poland and Bulgaria in the first half of this year.

"Asian diplomacy now is all about money," a diplomat in Pyongyang said. "The south has capital and technology to export, the north does not. It is losing out."

Another reason for the isolation is the bombing of a Korean Air Lines plane in November 1987 over Burma which Seoul blames on the North. One of the bombers confessed on national television in South Korea that she was a North Korean agent.

"Most countries believed the South. Fewer delegations came here after that," a second diplomat said. North Korean officials disclaim responsibility for the bombing, calling the South's case "a fabrication" and saying those accused of

carrying it out were not from the North. "Time will prove who is right and who is wrong," said Kang Jong II, a member of the Korean Society for Relations With Foreign Countries,

"History tells us that those who are in a dilemma carry out such a

plot, like the burning of the Reichstag in 1936," he said, referring to the incident when the Nazis set fire to the German parliament and blamed it on the Communist Party.

"It is a pity some socialist countries have relations with the South, bartering class principles for a few dollars. We hope they will abide by

The country's two strongest allies are the Soviet Union and China, whose military assistance in the Korean war threw back the UN forces to the 38th Parallel and saved the North.

their principles. We will not be so foolish as to cut relations with them.

Both countries also provided enormous financial assistance in the post-war reconstruction period. They have large embassies in the centre of Pyongyang, while nearly all the others have been moved to a

diplomatic quarter in the south of the city.

The Soviet Union and China do not mind about the Kim II Sung personality cult, which they regard as an internal affair," said the second diplomat, referring to the aura surrounding the North Korean president who has led the country since its founding in 1948.

"They have a common policy toward North Korea and are not competing for its favour. Both want stability in the Korean peninsula," "It will be more aggressive in its diplomacy this year, especially in seeking a peace agreement with the US," he said. The Korean war

ended in 1953 only with an armistice. US firms are not allowed to do trade or investment with North Korea, except of a humanitarian nature, and North Korea has one of the lowest ratings in access to goods controlled by Cocom, a committee

regulating exports to communist countries. Since last September, it has held three rounds of talks in Peking with the United States, at the level of political counsellor. A spokesman at the US embassy in Peking said that, during the talks,

both sides repeated their positions. "There was not a lot to give and take. We would like to improve relations."

Commercially, North Korea has isolated itself by defaulting on its foreign debt, making it ineligible for new credit from the Western

North Korean officials could not give a figure for the debt. Kang said that non-repayment was not a political decision.

"Once we have completed major projects, paying back is no problem for us," he said. North Korea earns little hard currency. Official figures for trade show a surplus in 1986, the last published year, of \$480 million on

exports of \$6.1 billion and imports of \$5.62 billion, most in barter with socialist countries. But it softened its policy of self-sufficiency by issuing a joint venture

law in 1984. Li Myong So, an economist at the Academy of Social Science, said joint ventures had been set up with France, Italy, Japan, Canada, Switzerland, Soviet Union, East Germany and Poland, with most of the money coming from Koreans in Japan.



BUSINESS & FINANCE

Oil prices rise on Saudi Arabian supply cuts

TOKYO, April 14, (Reuter): Crude oil prices surged 25 cents a barrel on Thursday, after Saudi Arabia announced it was slashing oil supplies to customers in Japan, Europe and the United States in May, oil industry sources said.

The US benchmark crude, West Texas Intermediate (WTI), traded at \$19.99 for June delivery in Tokyo on Thursday, up from its \$19.74 level on the New York

Mercantile Exchange on Wednesday. Saudi Arabia informed Japanese buyers that their May oil supplies would be cut by 40 per cent.

Industry sources said supplies to major oil companies in the United States would be cut by 15 to 23 per cent, and that some European oil companies had been notified of cuts of around 30 per cent.

Energy File

Norway's

oil output

high

hits record

OSLO, April 14, (Reuter): Nor-

way's North Sea oil production hit a record high of 1.53 million

barrels of oil a day in March, oil

companies operating here said

on Wednesday.
Norway, Western Europe's
biggest oil producer after

voluntary cutbacks.

Norway is not a member of the

Organisation of Petroleum

Exporting Countries (OPEC).

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said the sharp increase in produc-

tion in the first half of this year had been planned for some time.

West Texas Intermediate, rose

almost to \$21.50 a beerel right-

after the Valdez spill. It is still up

That compares with \$12 ia a

clut last autumn before the

Organisation of Petroleum

Exporting Countries introduced

new output quotas for its 13

volume for actual deals in spot

market crude, particularly in

Europe, suggests that demand

may not be quite as vigorous as it

by volatile futures markets.

They say prices are being led

Futures eased on Wednesday

on a report by the American

Petroleum Institute that US

stocks of crude oil rose last week

by 451,000 barrels after predic-

tions that they might drop by

QUITO, April 14, (OPECNA): In a bid to cut freight and

transportation costs, Venezuela

and Ecuador are thinking of

delivering crude to each other's

customers in the Caribbean and

the Atlantic, depending on who

anything up to five million.

Some traders say that a low

around \$20.

members.

The US benchmark crude,

Oil Minister Arne Ocien has

Saudi Arabia cut supplies to Japan by twice as much as to US buyers because it can sell its oil for higher prices in the West, the sources said.

"I think they're taking advantage of the better market in the West," said a major oil company official.

Saudi Arabia's price formulas to customers in East Asia are linked to market values of the Oman and Dubai crudes from the Middle East, while US buyers pay prices based on free market values of oil from Alaska's North Slope (ANS).

The different formulas have resulted in cargoes of Arabian light oil recently fetching about \$1.50 a barrel more in the United

States than in East Asia.

Arabian light also attracts a slightly higher prices in Europe, where it is linked

to the spot market price of Britain's Brent blend, than in East Asia.

Saudi Arabia cut April supplies to Japan by 30 per cent but most customers had expected the kingdom to allocate them more oil in May to help stabilise prices, which have recently rocketed due largely to a string of industrial accidents.

"It came as a surprise to me. I was expecting Saudi Arabia to try to calm down the spot market," a Japanese refiner

WTI levels surged close to \$21.50 after the Valdez oil spill which caused a sharp reduction in Alaskan oil supplies. Oil traders speculated that a large

volume of Saudi Arabian crude could be heading for the United States where the kingdom has a large refining joint venture

Last November, Saudi Arabia paid Tex-aco \$812 million for a 50 per cent stake in its refining assets and marketing system in

The agreements gave the venture the right to buy up to 600,000 barrels per day (BPD) of Saudi crude oil at market prices. "Texaco is willing to pay a higher price for the oil than the Japanese," said the

Japanese refiner. Saudi Arabia will in effect only supply 15,000 BPD less to Japan in May than in Aprilso the impact of the cut on the market is more psychological than real, the traders

"But at this moment every refiner is eager to find an attractive cargo for May, said one Japanese refiner.

Co-operation looks up

Kuwait-Cairo oil ties praised

CAIRO, April 14, (Agencies): Kuwait's Oil Minister Sheikh Ali Al Khalifa and two other Kuwaiti senior officials have affirmed that bilateral economic and oil co-operation between Cairo and Kuwait has been look-

ing up lately.

This came in a last-page article in daily "Al-Wald" entitled "Egypt in the eyes of Kuwait" Britain, set its previous record of 1.42 million barrels daily in Jan-Output rose despite a 7.5 per and included interviews with cent curb in planned production Sheikh Ali, director-general of growth which Norway has the Kuwait Fund for Arab Econimposed voluntarily to support OPEC efforts to boost world oil omic Development Bader Al Humaidhi and director-general of Kuwait Investment Authority Oil analysts said March Dr Fahd Al Rashed. production was still within the

The oil minister said that Kuwait is currently conducting some oil prospection in Egypt through Santa Fe and the Petroleum Explorations Company, affiliates of the Kuwait Petroleum Corporation, noting that KPC is also negotiating with foreign oil companies operating in Egypt to purchase some of

Sheikh Ali praised Kuwaiti-Egyptian oil co-operation, describing as "distinguished" the ties between Kuwait and the Egyptian oil sector.

Meanwhile, Dr Al Rashed said that Kuwaiti investments in Egypt are the biggest anywhere, amounting to \$1 billion, indicating that Kuwaiti capitals are involved in the fields of real estate, tourism and industry.

He also called on the Egyptian authorities to unify the govern-ment institutions, with which an Arab or foreign investor has to deal, instead of the current situation which involves seven minis-

For his part, KFAED head said that the fund signed the first loan agreement with Egypt right after the resumption of relations in 1987, while the last was a KD10-million deal with the public pharmaceutical authority to upgrade medicine factories



and provide the required spare

Al Humaidhi disclosed this agreement is still mere ink on months since it was signed.

He denied that that either KFAED or any other fund was influenced by calls of the International Monetary Fund to stop their aid to Egypt, pointing out that the fund has signed a KD35million contract to build power station in Damietta.

While affirming that Egypt's debt problem must be solved within an international framework, Humaidhi stressed that Kuwait "respects its obligations toward Egypt despite the deficit

in its budget."
Meanwhile, OPEC Secretary-General Subroto plans to meet with Texas' energy officials and discuss long-term oil price stability in Dallas on May 10-11, according to Southern Methodist University officials.

Subroto, an Indonesian scholar, will speak at a May II titute for Study of Earth and Man at SMU. The luncheon is expected to attract up to 1,000 people for his address at the Fairmont Hotel in downtown Dallas.

Subroto also will meet with SMU officials and members of six energy and geological organ-isations that also are sponsoring his address. Two Houston oilmen, Roy Huffington, an SMU Alamnus, and Herb Goodman. who is affiliated with the institute, helped persuade Subroto to visit Texas.

"He has brought real leadership to OPEC and has worked tirelessly to develop a consensus on production," said Dennis O'Brien, a senior fellow with the institute who also helped coax Subroto to visit.

India also has one of the high-

est price to book value ratios at

Jordan, IMF to sign letter

AMMAN, April 14, (Reuter): Debt-ridden Jordan and the International Monetary Fund (IMF) will sign a letter of intent on economic reforms today, a source familiar with the negotia-

five-year plan aimed to reduce the budget deficit by 18 million dinars (\$33 million) and raise government revenues by 39 million dinars (\$72 million) a

The source, who declined to be identified, said the dinar rate, fixed by the Central Bank at 540 fils to the dollar in early February, would stay unchan-

Credit

It would also clear the way for

"Targets for budget cuts and

for total spending of 1.035 billion dinars (\$1.92 billion) and forecasts a deficit of 122.2 million dinars (\$226.3 million).

A Jordanian official has said the letter of intent, which must be dan to approach the Paris Club

In the past nine months, the government has devalued the dinar, banned some luxury imports, floated interest rates, lifted industrial licensing controls and curbed public spend-

on economic reforms

tions said.

Bankers said the letter of

revenue increases will become the pattern in the next four budgets," he said.

The existing 1989 budget calls

million).
In 1988 the Central Bank

dinars (\$833 million at 1988 rates) in direct advances and purchases of treasury bills and government bonds. The Central Bank says Jordan

confirmed by the IMF board in Washington, would allow Jorto reschedule its debts.

The source told Reuters the

year from 1989 onwards. Jordan's fiscal year corresponds with the calendar year.

intent, after three weeks of talks with IMF officials in Amman, would help Jordan to reschedule a foreign debt officially estimated at \$6 billion.

an 18-month IMF standby credit of \$125 million and a World Bank loan of \$100 to 150 million, the source close to the talks said.

Under the plan, the governwill have to agoi cal, monetary and financial policies to boost investment, savings and hard currency earnings, the source said. It would also fix annual public borrowing ceil-

Western diplomats put Jor-

dan's budget deficit in 1988 at 253 million dinars (\$675 million at 1988 exchange rates) against a forecast 68 million dinars (\$181

loaned the treasury 311 million

must repay \$1.2 billion in interest and principal on its foreign debt this year, but the financial crisis has forced it to halt or delay some

A worker at the Frankfurt bourse cleans her desk in front of molten computers after an arson attack on Wednesday. The police arrested three persons, but no motive for attack has been established. (Reuter

Frankfurt bourse recovers LONDON, April 14, (Reuter): A petrol bomb attack on the Frankfurt bourse on Wednesday disrupted early trading, but inves-tors quickly dived back into the market and pushed a key West

The mood was good before, but people were nervous about going too far, too fast," one trader said. But after the bombs,

German share index to a record

everybody wants to show that the Frankfurt bourse is alive and no motive had yet been establivery healthy, bombs or no." Firmer

After bomb attack

European stocks were gen-erally firmer after gains on Wall Street overnight while the dollar edged higher in thin business.

Police in Frankfurt said three people were arrested after Molotov cocktails were thrown into the bourse trading hall but

The bourse was evacuated

while the fires were extinguished. Share dealers said the 30-minute delay to the opening had made trading unusually hectic. The real-time 30-share Dax

index closed at a record high of 1,381.66, up 12.31 points from Tuesday's close. The index dates from January 1, 1988.

Tokyo shares ease

Dollar firm, gold retreats

LONDON, April 14, (AP): The US dollar firmed against European currencies today in quiet trading while the market awaited the release of two important economic indicators. Gold prices retreated after

gaining nearly a dollar in Hong Kong. European traders reported thin activity this morning as the market awaited release of data

on the US trade deficit and Demand for the dollar remained strong, said Takamas Yamasaki, a trader for the Daiwa Bank in Tokyo.

'Although there are uncertainties over the political and economic situation here and abroad, investors are inclined to buy the dollar," he said.

Other dollar rates at midmorning, compared with late yesterday: 1.8780 West German marks. up from 1.8720; 1.6525 Swiss francs, up from 1.6422: 6.3520 French francs, up from 6.3335; 2.1183 Dutch guilders, up from 2.1080; 1,377.75 Italian lire, up from 1,374.00; 1.1868

Canadian dollars, down from

In London, one British pound

cost \$1.6945, compared to late yesterday's 1.7010. Gold opened in London at a bid price of \$389.50 a troy ounce. up from \$388.75 bid late yester-

day. At midmorning the city's five major bullion dealers fixed a recommended price of \$388.55. In Zurich, the bid price at noon was \$388.50, down from \$389.15 bid late yesterday

rose 92 cents to close at a bid \$388.46.

Silver was quoted in London at a bid price of \$5.87 a troy ounce, unchanged from yester-The West German mark and

share prices jumped yesterday after signs that Bonn's newly appointed Finance Minister Theo Waigel would modify a tax which has proven particularly unpopular with investors.

If the withholding tax goes, it

is going to give a massive boost to the mark against the dollar and especially on the crosses," said one currency trader in Frankmarks and they are going to have to buy at whatever price they have to.

West German Chancellor Helmut Kohl announced Waigel's appointment at a news conference yesterday morning. Waigel replaces Gerhard Stoltenberg who will take on the defence portfolio.

Waigel, leader of the Christian Social Union (CSU), a sister party to Kohl's Christian Democratic Union, had made his entry into the cabinet conditional on the withholding tax being changed. CSU sources

have said. Kohl said later in the news conference the government was rethinking the regulations applying to the tax which withholds at source 10 per cent of earnings on investment income.

The tax, which became effective on January 1, 1988, had caused an outflow of capital from the markets, dealers said. The mark traded around 1.8710 to the dollar around midday in London against a close on Wednesday of 1.8853.

Cathay in \$2b Airbus order

CATHAY Pacific has signed an agreement with Airbus Industrie to buy up to 20 A330-300 aircraft in a deal worth more than \$2 billion, continuing a flood of new orders for the European consor-

tium of planemakers.

Cathay Pacific will place firm orders for 10 aircraft and take options on a further 10. Deliveries of the twin engine widebody aircraft will begin in January 1995.

Routes

The deal - the largest single order for Airbus aircraft ever placed by a Far East carrier —

Trans World Airlines (TWA) for 40 A330 aircraft valued at over Cathay Pacific intends to use

the new aircraft to replace Lockheed Tristars on its regional routes operating from its base in Hong Kong.

After completing the signing

Cathay Pacific chairman David Gledhill said: "We have chosen the A330-300 because it combines operational economy with the most advanced technology and is the ideal aircraft to enable us to increase the frequency of our services." The Cathay Pacific and TWA orders come at a time of increasing activity for

Airbus Industrie. Last week, TAP-AIR of Por-

tugal ordered two A340s with two options, while Japan Air Systems (JAS) has agreed to buy seven A300-600Rs.

The Portuguese airline will take delivery of the first of its Airbus A340s in 1992, while Airbus Industrie will begin deliveries of the first three aircraft to JAS in 1991 and the remaining four the following year.

To date, 17 customers have placed commitments for 266 of the A300 and A310, while total sales of the A300 and A310 now stand at 528 aircraft from 65 cus-

Longest trade ban issued against Swedish exporter

WASHINGTON, April 14. (AP): The Commerce Department on Thursday barred Swedish businessman Goren Josberg and three companies he owns from selling any US goods for 35 years, citing his role in shipping a missile-testing machine to the Soviel Union.

The ban is the longest denial of export privileges issued by the department since it began 40 years ago to control goods that can have military uses. "Some members of this high-

tech diversion ring posed as legitimate businessmen in Sweden, West Germany and Singapore to acquire US-origin technology for their carefully planned scheme to supply highly sought after, militarily useful items to East bloc countries,' said Undersecretary of Commerce Paul Freedenberg in a

statement. The Swedish companies banned are Globe Trade, Globe Computers and Globe Metals.

The announcement said that among the goods was a WAS-3000 airstream modulator. which tests missiles to see if they withstand the vibrations of flight.

A 10-year ban also was assued against Helmut Kech and his firm, OTC MESS-und Videotekhnik, GHMB of Hamburg, West Germany.

The statement said that from 1983 to 1985 Josberg shipped US equipment to Finland and the Soviet Union through phoney corporations set up by Keck in West Germany. US government offices in Europe helped piece together the case, it said.

The order bans Josberg, Keck and their firms from taking part in any export of US goods. It also bars other companies from dealing with them in any transaction involving US goods, unless they get permission in advance from the Commerce Department.

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Lendolfo Leon, head of a Venezuelan oil delegation which has been here for some days to advise on the security of oil installations, said Thursday there was a possibility that the two national oil companies, PDVSA of Venscrips, according to a review of czuela and CEPE of Ecuador, emerging stock markets underwould exchange crudes and petroleum products. He said Ecuador might acquire storage and refining

Leon said Venezuelan technicians had carried out a general evaluation of the Anglo refinery in Ecuador and a report had been presented to the Ecuadorian Ministry of Energy and Mines. Oil accord

facilities in Venezuela, perhaps at

the Isla Curacao refinery which

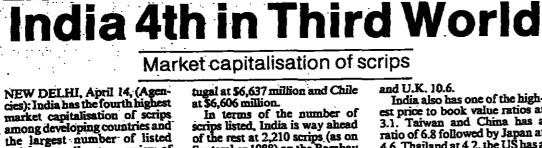
was on lease to the PDVSA.

TUNIS, April 14, (OPEC-NA): Libya and Tunisia yesterday signed an accord on offshore oil and gas drilling, among many The accord provides for joint

exploration and exploitation of oil and gas in a 3,000 sq. km zone in the Gulf of Gabes. Under the accord, Libya will allocate 10 per cent of revenue from its offshore oilfield "El Bouri" for Libyan-Tunisian

development projects. Libya and Tunisia signed a total of eight agreements to further strengthen bilateral cooperation in a number of areas. including agriculture, social security, postal services and the establishment of joint ventures

for audin-visual production. The agreements were initialled by Abdel Salam Jalloud for Libya and his Tunisian counterpart Prime Minister Hedi Bac-



taken by the Washington-based International Finance Corpora-The highest market capitalisation (as on September, 1988) is seen in Taiwan and China (together) at \$1,56,768 million and Brazil at \$30,211 million. India's capitalisation figure

stood at \$22,001 million.

have been taken only from scrips listed on the Bombay Stock Exchange. This figure would be higher if scrips on other stock exchanges were taken into Malaysia is a close fifth with

capitalisation at \$21,971 million

India's capitalisation figures

the highest market capitalisation had a mere 145 scrips listed on their stock exchanges.

Stock Exchange. Brazil comes a poor second at 587 companies, followed by South Korea at 471 companies, Pakistan at 400 companies, Mexico at 251 companies, Chile at 199 companies, Argentina at 190 companies and Portugal at 169 companies. Taiwan and China which had

tugal at \$6,637 million and Chile at \$6,606 million.

The study shows that India has the four highest price earning ratio in the world (as of September, 1988), including developed countries. The ratio is as high as 51.9 for Japan, followed by Tarwan and China at 46.5 and South Korea at 36.8 India has P/Eratio of 33.3. The US has a P/

In terms of the number of scrips listed, India is way ahead Taiwan and China has a ratio of 6.8 followed by Japan at of the rest at 2,210 scrips (as on 4.6, Thailand at 4.2, the US has a September 1988) on the Bombay ratio of 1.8, Germany 1.8 and U.K. 1.8.

and U.K. 10.6.

In terms of dividend yield, India is way down the list. The highest percentage comes from Zimbabwe at 9.1, followed by Chile at 8.7 per cent, Colombo at 6.5 per cent, the U.K. at five per cent. Germany and USA had yields of 3.7 per cent each. Japan notched a figure of 0.5 per cent, South Korea 0.7 per cent, India

has a yield of 2.6 per cent. Philippines had the largest percentage share in total market capitalisation of the top 10 actively traded shares, at 92 per cent. India's share was 69 per cent, that of Korea 43 per cent, Taiwan and China 66 per cent, Brazil 73 per cent and Malaysia 58 per cent.

followed well behind by Thailand at \$9,666 million, Por-E ratio of 11.8, Germany 14.7 Abe admits Recruit paid wife monthly

in Japan's festering political scandal, former Foreign Minister Shintaro Abe admitted today that his wife had received monthly donations from the Recruit company for three years. Abe's remarks followed a report in the Japanese newspaper Mainichi Shimbun that Mrs Abe had

TOKYO, April 14, (Reuter): In another revelation

received about 9.3 million yen (\$70,000) between "Neither my wife nor I knew about this and I have left all my financial matters to my secretaries. After investigation, we found this was true and I regret my lack of knowledge." Abe told a news conference.

Abe indicated he was ready to speak on this and

other contributions from the Recruit Group at a

special parliamentary hearing. He currently serves

spent on," Abe said. The scandal, involving payments of about 500 million yen (\$3.8 million) to politicians and officials by the Recruit Publishing and Telecommunications Group, has sent the ruling party's popularity skid-

Three cabinet ministers have resigned and 13 people have so far been arrested in connection with the casse, postwar Japan's biggest political scandal. After Abe's comments were reported, the opposition parties renewed their demands for Takeshita's resignation and elections.

in the powerful post of the ruling Liberal Democratic Party's secretary-general. "To straighten political morale, I must speak out on how his money was received and what it was

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SR COMM	240.0 203.0	RACAL TEL	328/0	ANGLIA SC	398/0 40
BR AIRWAY	197/0	RANK HVIS	381/0	ANSBACHER	77/0 7
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SUPTON	203/0	ROYAL INS	417/0	BARDON GP	170/0 17
CABLE&WIR	480/0	SAATCHI	285/0	BBA GROUP	183/0 18
CADBURYS	338/0	SA I NSBURY	226/0	BANK IRE	304/0 30
CALOR GRP	380.0	SCOT+NEW	294/0	BSG INTL	75/4 7
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FT ALL SHP	1049.82	1049.82	1051.87	1076.15	926.59					
FT GOV SEC	85.84	85.84	85.92	87.30	87.03					
FT GOLD MN	189.2	189.2	187.1	190.2	161.9					
FT MINES F	656.31	56.31	656.04	653.25	565.31					
FT OIL	1907.2	1907.2	1931.8	1978.9	1725.4					
FT WLD DLR	142.58	142.89	142-89	141.17	139-21					
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London Stock Market Report

UK STOCKS SHOW LITTLE REACTION TO INFLATION DATA

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CLUINNESS

TO NEWS THAT U.K. INFLATION SHOWED A MUCH AS EXPECTED ANNUAL INCREASE OF 7.9 PCT IN MARCH, BUT SOME PRICES MOVED HIGHER ON RELIEF THAT 13 PCT BASE RATES LOOK SAFE FOR THE TIME BEING.

"THERE IS NO DOUBT THAT SOME PEOPLE WERE HOLDING BACK IN CASE THE FIGURE WAS BAD BUT REMEMBER WE STILL HAVE TO GET THROUGH THIS AFTERNOON'S U.S. NUMBERS, " ONE TRADER COMMENTED. U.S. INFLATION AND TRADE DEFICIT FIGURES ARE DUE FOR RELEASE AT 1230 GMT, ONE HOUR BEFORE THE WALL STREET OPENING. BY 1047 GMT THE FTSE 100 HAD REACHED A PEAK OF 2,034.1, 5.4 POINTS UP ON LAST NIGHT'S CLOSE.

STERLING MONEY MARKET RATES EASED SLIGHTLY AFTER THE INFLATION NEWS AND THE POUND HELD STEADY AT ITS EARLIER FIRMER

LEVELS. TRADERS SAID THE MOST IMPORTANT OF THIS AFTERNOON'S U.S. FIGURES IS THE MAPCH PRODUCER PRICE INDEX, USED AS AN INFLATION INDICATOR, WHICH IS FORECAST BY EUROPEAN ECONOMISTS TO SHOW A RISE OF 0.5 PCT AFTER A FULL ONE POINT INCREASE IN FEBRUARY. THE TRADE NUMBER IS FOR A MONTH EARLIER AND IS FORECAST TO SHOW A GAP OF AROUND TO BILLION DLRS AGAINST A 9.5 BILLION DLR

SMORFALL IN JANUARY, U.S. INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION FOR MARCH IS

\$150 DUE LATER IN THE DAY, DEALERS NOTED.

Precious Metals

LONDON, APRIL 14, REUTER - GOLD BULLION TRADING WAS QUIET 1518 MORNING BUT PALLADIUM WAS SET AT ITS HIGHEST SINCE NOVEMBER 1900. GOLD WAS FIXED AT 388.55 DLRS AN OUNCE, LITTLE CHANGED FECH THURSDAY'S CLOSE OF 388.50/389.00 BUT DOWN FROM ITS OPENING TOF 387,30/389,90.

GOLD DEALERS SAID CONDITIONS WERE QUIET AS POSITIONS WERE ACJUSTED AHEAD OF TODAY'S U.S. TRADE AND INFLATION DATA DUE AT 1230 GMT. PALLADIUM WAS FIXED THIS MORNING AT 180.60 DLRS AN CUNCE COMPARED WITH THURSDAY'S AFTERNOON FIX OF 177.50 DLRS. SUFFORT REFLECTED CONTINUING INTEREST IN NUCLEAR FUSION EXPERIMENTS USING THE METAL.

London Money Market

LONDON, APRIL 14, REUTER - MONEY MARKET INTEREST RATES EASED RECOND 1/16 POINT AGAINST OPENING LEVELS AFTER NEWS THAT THE W.R. RETAIL PRICE INDEX (RPI) FOR MARCH WAS SLIGHTLY BELOW

MARKET EXPECTATIONS, DEALERS SAID. THE RPI ROSE 0.4 PCT IN MARCH GIVING AN ANNUAL RATE OF 7.9 CCT, COMPARED TO EXPECTATIONS OF A 0.5 PCT INCREASE. DEALERS 52 10 THE NUMBER TOOK THE PRESSURE OFF ANY IMMEDIATE RISE IN BASE

"THE NUMBER WAS BETTER THAN EXPECTED AND HAS BEEN TAKEN WELL F" THE MARKET," ONE DEALER SAID. "BUT WE'RE NOT OUT OF THE WOODS

Foreign Exchange

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	DML 1.8675/8755	3.171/185		29.46/62	FIX
	FFR 6.3305/3425	10.746/764	338. 17/81		FIX
1	35F 1.6570/6580	2.8136/8169	88.56/66	26.16/20	NOON
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BRITANNIC	381/0 380/0	GRAMPN HD 335/0 335/0	PRESTWICH 108/0 108/0
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BR DREDGI	161/0 161/0 . 37/4 38/0	HALHA 210/0 210/0 HMBRO CTY 47/0 47/0	PROUDFOOT 273/0 273/0 PROV FINL 319/0 320/0
BRN & JAC BR VITA	246/0 246/0	HNBRD 20P 229/0 229/0	PROV FINL 319/0 320/0 RAINE IND 100.0 99.0
BRIXTON E	370/0 370/0	HAMBROS I 295.0 294.0	U-RNDSWTH 271/0 271/0
U-BRD ST	39/0 39/0 191/0 191/0	HAMMERSON 864/0 863/0 HAWTHN LE 59/0 59/0	RANSOMES 454/0 453/0
U-BROADWL BROWN SHI	347/0 347/0	HAZELWOOD 244/0 245/0	RATNERS 212/0 212/0 RENTOKIL 294/0 293/0
BRYANT GP	114/0 114/0	HEATH(CE) 443/0 444/0	ROBINSON 486/0 486/0
BULLOUGH	178/0 179/0 168/0 168/0	HELENE PL 32/4 32/4 HELICAL B 320/0 318/0	ROCKFORT 96/0 95/0
BULMER HP CRH	174/0 175/0	HESTAIR 249/0 248/0	ROCKHARE 63/0 64/0 ROTHSCHLD 180/0 181/0
CAIRD GRP	415/0 415/0	HEPWORTH 271/0 270/0	ROTORK 156/0 156/0
CALENDON JA	370/0 370/0 225/0 225/0	HEYWOOD W 295/0 295/0 HICKSN IN 229/0 228/0	RUGRY GRP 186/0 185/0 RUTLAND T 45/0 45/0
CAMFORD E	270/0 271/0	HIGGS HIL 393/0 392/0	RUTLAND T 45/0 45/0 ST.ANDREW 209/4 210/0
CANNING W	242/0 242/0	H'LND DIS 190/0 191/0 U-H'ND PT 258/0 258/0	ST.MODWEN 38/0 38/0
CANNON ST	266/0 266/0 693/0 695/0	HOLMES PR 105/0 104/0	U-SAC INT 112/0 112/0 SAGA GRP 288/0 288/0
CARADON	370/0 370/0	HPOKINSON 81/0 83/0	SALVESEN 139/4 140/0
CARLCO EN CATTLE HD	158/0 158/0 72/0 72/0	HONDEN GP 153/0 153/0 U-HUGHES 44/0 45/0	SALE TLNY 207/0 207/0 SAVILLE G 52/0 52/0
CAULDON	13/4 14/0	U-HUGH.HT 159/Q 158/O	SAVOY #A# 863/0 855/0
CENTL ITV	727/0 731/0 168/0 168/0	HNTR SPHR 155/0 155/0 ICE.FZ.FD 340/0 340/0	SCHR.GLOB 277/0 277/0
CHAM PHER	220.0 218.0	IMRY M.DV 429/0 429/0	SCOT.AM.I. 102/0 102/0 SCOT HERI 179/0 178/0
CHARTERHA CHLORIDE	22/6 22/4 55/0 56/0	INDPNDT W 14/0 14/0 INOCO PLC 33/0 33/4	SCOT I.T. 144/0 144/0
CHRISTIES	881/0 878/0	INT.BU.CM 138/0 139/0	SCOT MET 162/0 163/0 SCOT MORT 120/0 120/0
CKAS CHUR	114.0 115.0	INT.CITY 51/0 51/0	SCT NAT C 42/0 42/0
U-CITYVSN CLAYFORM	144/0 144/0 311/0 312/0	U-ISRAEL 22/0 22/0 JHNSN&FIR 55/4 56/0	SCT NAT 1 97/0 97/0 SCT NAT W 12/0 12/0
COATES BR	310/0 310/0	JOS HLDGS 146/0 146/0	2ND ALLCE 855/0 854/0
CNTRL SEC	67/4 67/4 155/0 155/0	KALAMAZOO 35/4 35/0 KALON GRP 38/4 38/4	SECS TST 118/0 118/0 SELCTV 1P 16/0 16/0
DOMPAS GR	340/0 338/0	KELT ENGY 55/0 56/0	SEMA GRP 321/0 322/0
CONNELLS COOPER F	215/0 215/0 168/0 168/0	KETSON 31/0 31/0 Klurt Chr 140/4 140/0	SHANDWICK 528/0 532/0
COURTS FR	186/0 185/0	KLURT 0'S 143/0 144/0	SHERATON S 85/0 86/0 SHIRE INV 248/0 248/0
CI GROUP	47/0 47/0	KLURT SHL 177/0 177/0	SIMON ENG 383/0 382/0
CTRY PROP	270/0 270/0 317/0 314/0	U-KUNICK 56/0 56/0 KNIK-FIT 105/0 106/0	SINGER&FR 69/0 70/0 600 GROUP 119/0 119/0
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CRODA INT	198/0 198/0 144/0 144/0	LAIRD GRP 263/0 263/0 LAING ORD 354/0 353/0	U-STH BUS 470/0 470/0 STHEND PR 219/4 220/0
DARES EST	30/6 30/4	LAING 'A' 354/0 353/0	SOUND DIF 22/0 22/0
DAVIS GOD	176/0 175/0	LAING PRP 491/0 490/0 LAWRNCE W 140/0 140/0	SPRNG RAM 263/0 264/0
DAVY CORP DAWSON GP	230/0 230/0 187/0 187/0	LAWRNCE W 140/0 140/0 LEP GROUP 170/0 171/0	SPRX-SARC 236/0 235/0 STAKIS 101/0 101/0
U-DEAN&BO	176/0 176/0	LEX SERVC 376/0 366/0	U-STNHOPE 227/0 227/0
DELTA GRP DEVENISH	310/0 311/0 311/0 308/0	LIFE SCIE 71/0 72/0 LILLEY FJ 60/4 60/4	STEETLEY 416/0 414/0 STORNGUAR 19/0 19/4
N-DEMEA M	116/0 116/0	LLOYD THP 218/0 218/0	STOODARD 49/0 48/0
DEWHIRST DRG	44/0 44/0	LOCAL LDW 544/0 545/0 LOGICA 364/0 363/0	STURGE HD 240/0 240/0 TELEMETRX 43/0 43/0
DIPL ONA	433/0 431/0 231/0 232/0	LDN ATLAN 306/0 306/0	TELEMETRX 43/0 43/0 U-T.V.AM 201/0 202/0
DOBSON PK	94/4 94/4	LDN&EDIN 135/0 136/0	TV SN HLD 77/0 78/0
DOWDING&M DOWTY GRP	73/0 74/0 251/0 250/0	U-LON FRF 124/0 123/0 LDN INTL 213/0 212/0	TVS ENTER 318/0 317/0 TEMPLE BA 236/0 235/0
DRAYTON C	521/0 521/0	LDN & MET 176/0 177/0	T.I.P. EU 190/0 190/0
DRAYTN FE DUKEMISTR	382/0 381/0 77/0 77/0	LON UTD 125/0 125/0 LOVELL HD 271/0 271/0	THANES TV 437/0 437/0
DUNDEE LD	324/0 324/0	LOW&BONNER 237/0 238/0	THORNTONS 143/0 142/0 THROGMTH 434/0 433/0
DUNHILL	261/0 260/0	LOW (MM) 288/0 285/0	TIE RACK 74/0 75/0
U-DURHAM EAGLE TST	56/0 56/0 17/0 17/0	M.C.PACIF 216/0 216/0 M&G GROUP 305/0 304/0	TI GROUP 428/0 428/0 TIME PROD 230/0 231/0
EDIN I.T	180/0 180/0	ML HLDGSS 124/0 125/0	TIPHOOK 503/0 502/0
EDMOND HD	43/0 43/0	MACARTHY 261/0 262/0	TOMKINS F 228/0 227/0
ELECTRA ELECTROCM	264/4 265/0 196/0 196/0	MACFARLNEE 212/0 213/0 MAI 85.0 84.0	TOOTAL 131/0 130/0 TOZER K&H 119/4 120/0
EMAP	232/0 233/0	MAJEDIE 241/0 241/0	TR CITY 86/4 86/0
EMPIRE ST ENG.INT.J	191/0 191/0 296/0 296/0	MANDERS 220/0 220/0 MARLEY 160/0 160/0	TR PACFIC 77/4 77/0
ETAM	150/0 150/0	MATTHEWS 65/0 65/0	TR PROPTY 58/0 58/0 TR TRSTEE 142/6 142/4
EUROTHERM	321/0 320/0	MAUNDERS 112/0 113/0	TRSPRT DV 248/0 248/0
EURO.HOME EURTNI, UT	237/0 237/0 806/0 808/0	MCKECHNIE 320/0 320/0 MEMEC 246/0 245/0	U-TRNNOOD 34/4 34/4
EURTNL WT	68/4 68/0	MENZIES 333/0 332/0	U-TRNID W 13,00 13,00
EVODE GRP	186/0 183/0	MERCH. TST 173/4 173/0	TRIMOCO 44/4 45/0 TRIPLEX 173/0 174/0
U-EXPLAUR Expanet	39/4 40/0 188/0 189/0	MERLIN IN 108/0 108/0 U-MRRYDWN 381/0 380/0	TRITON ER 154/0 155/0
EX.CO.LOU	135/0 135/0	METAL CLS 188/0 188/0	UK PAPER 211/0 210/0
F&C ENTER	32/4 32/4	METALRAX 95/0 96/0	UNION DIS 485/0 488/0 UNITECH 329/0 327/0
F&C EUROT F&C SMLLR	276/0 275/0 76/0 76/0	MEYER INT 428/0 427/0 U-MICROVT 41/0 41/0	U-UTC GRP 203/0 203/0
F&C PACIF	165/0 166/0	HIDSUMMER 225/0 225/0	UTD.INDUS 65/0 65/0
FARNELL E FED.HOUSN	150/0 150/0 215/0 215/0	U-MOLINAR 28/0 28/6 MOLINS OR 225/0 225/0	UTD.SCIEN 181/0 181/0 VALUE&INC 64/0 64/0
FENNER JH	176/0 176/0	MOLINS OR 225/0 225/0 MONKS IT 252/0 251/0	VAUX GPR 279/0 278/0
FERGUSON	266/0 266/0	U-MONHNT 24/0 24/0	VERSON 27/4 28/0 VG INSTHT 273/0 274/0
U-FERRARI FINE ARTS	12/0 12/0 215/0 215/0	MORGAN CR 249/0 248/0 MORLAND 720/0 725/0	VICKERS 174/0 174/0
FINLAN GP	82/0 81/0	MNT CHLT 174/0 173/0	VPI GROUP 161/0 160/0
1ST CHARL	12/4 12/4 298/0 295/0	MOUNTLEIG 160/4 160/0	WADDINGTN 198/0 198/0 WAGON HDG 360/0 358/0
FKB GROUP FLMG AMER	128/0 128/0	MOWLEN J 424/0 423/0 NS INTL 139/0 140/0	WARD HLDS 122/0 122/0
FLMG F.E	230/4 231/0	HRRY INCM 205/0 204/4	WARDLE ST 395/0 392/0
FLMG JAPN FLMG MERC	244/0 243/0 201/2 201/4	MRRY INTL 205/4 205/0 NAT.TELCH 125/0 125/0	WATERFD 0 76/0 76/0 WATERFD U 76/0 76/0
FLMG TECH	175/0 175/0	NEWARTHIL 010/0 000/0	WATES CTY 189/4 191/0
FLMG INIV FINLAY J	170/0 170/0 108/0 109/0	NORCROS 315/0 315/0 NORTHAMBR 288/0 288/0	WATTS B&B 351/0 350/0 WCRS GRP 234/0 233/0
1ST LEISER	185/0 185/0	NORFOLK C 38/2 38/0	WEIR GRP 290/0 290/0
1ST NAT F	231/0 231/0	NORMANS 58/0 58/0	WEMBLEY 121/0 121/0
1ST SCOT FITCH LOV	450/0 450/0 262/0 262/0	A.AMER TS 422/0 420/0 N.BRIT CA 415/0 415/0	WESTBURY 255/0 256/0 WST MOTOR 613/0 614/0
FOR &COL	130/0 130/0	N.ENG.IND 128.5 127.5	WESTLAND 143/0 144/0
U-FRD SEL FROGMORE	103/0 103/0 497/0 4 9 6/0	U-N.SEA&G 44/0 44/0 CUNERS AB 81/0 81/0	WHEWAY 113/0 114/0 WHITECROF 304/0 305/0
U-FLOYD E	20/0 19/6	OXFORD INS 211/0 210/0	U-MMS LEI 39/0 39/0
FRNDLY HO GALL1FORD	285/0 285/0 97/0 98/0	P & O WTS 97/0 97/0 P & P PLC 223/0 223/0	WLSON BOW 250/0 251/0 WLSON CON 177/0 176/0
GARDINER	58/0 59/0	PACIFIC A 210/0 210/0	WOLSELEY 278/0 279/0
GEEST GEI INTL	269/0 268/0 123/0 124/0	PAGE (M) 50/0 50/0	WOLV&DUD 434/0 433/0 WPP GRP 668/0 670/0
GERRD&NAT	268/0 270/0	PENTOS PLC 102/0 102/0	U-WYKO GP 82/0 83/0
GESTETNER	264/0 264/0	PERGAMON 67/0 66/0	YALE&VALO 323/0 322/0
GOODE DUR GVTT OR1E	128/0 129/0 374/0 373/0	PERRY GRP 229/0 228/0 PERSIMMON 165/0 166/0	YOUNG (H) 173/0 173/0 YORK CHEM 350/0 350/0

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INDEX	LATEST		-DAYS/2	PREV-QR	PREV-YR	
AUSTRALIA	277.1	276.4	275.3	284.0	259.3	
AUSTRIA	313.7	309.8		287.9	215.4	
BELGUIM	453.8	452.5		445.3	260.2	
CANADA	383.0	386.6		386.8	350.7	
DENMARK	615.6	613.2		602.3	336.6	
FRANCE	473.3	474.8	472.7	464.4	288.5	
GERMANY	217.4	216.5	215.3	206.7	156.6	
HONG KONG	2338.1	2322.2	2288.4	2271.2	1644.3	
FINLAND	133.0	132.2	133.4	128,3	108.1	
ITALY	464.3	466.3	467.0	471.2	377.4	
JAPAN	1471.9	1481.6	1481.6	1483.6	1022.3	
NETHERLNDS	300.6	302.8	300.6	296.B	215.9	
NEW ZEAL	88.9	88.9	89.3	90.3	98.9	
NORWAY	797.2	787.3	759.1	751.0	392.4	
SPORE	722.3	711.2	6 9 5.6	694.7	473.1	
SPAIN	253.1	253.8	254.4	245.1	209.5	
SWEDEN	1227.2	1233.3	1230.1	1247.1	856.8	
SWITZ	193.2	192.1	193.1	186.7	140.7	
U.K.	616.0	616.9	616.2	632.9	515.7	
U.S.A.	272.4	274.8	274.4	270.9	229.4	
WORLD	504.6	505.2	505.6	503.4	408.0	
E.A.F.E.	960.3	958.0	960.0	959.2	757.5	

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	NEW	VOR	
	HITE RE	PEN MI	
	A BSCH COM	37/4	37/5
	ATLANTIC R	90/4	90/6
	AAR CORP	28/0	27/6
	ABBOTT LAB	54/3	54/6
	ACKE CLVLD	9/4	9/5
	ADV MICRO	9/2	9/0
	AEROFL LAB	4/6	4/7
	AETNA LIFE	53/3	53/3
	AHMANSON	17/4	17/3
	AIR PR-CHM	43/3	43/3
	ALASKA AIR	24/5	24/5
	ALBERTSONS	41/7	41/7
	ALBMA 8-16	0	82/4
	ALCAN ALUM	32/1	32/2
	ALCO STAND	27/1	27/1
	AM CAP SEC	20/6	20/6
	AM CYNAMID	51/6	52/0
	AM FAMILY	17/7	17/6
	AM HOM PRO AM STNDARD AM STORES AM TEL-TEL	86/5 10/0 59/7	86/4 10/1 60/0 30/7
	AMOCO CORP	42/6	42/4
	AMP INC	42/3	42/4
	AMPCO PITT	14/6	14/6
	AMR CORP	60/1	60/3
	AMR GEN CO	35/0	35/0
	AMERADA HE	38/4	38/4
	ANTHEM ELE	10/5	10/5
	APACHE CP	9/4	9/4
	APPAL 8-12	0	82/0
	ARMSTRONG	37/7	38/1
	ASHLND OIL	42/0	41/6
	ASIA PACIF	9/1	9/2
	ATLS CORP	28/0	28/1
	AVERY INT	23/2	23/3
	AVNET INC	22/2	22/3
	AVON PRODS	25/2	25/3
	BCE INC	31/1	31/1
	BELLSOUTH	41/4	41/5
	BELO CP A	27/3	27/5
	BETH STEEL	24/4	24/4
	BEVERLY	8/7	9/0
	BNK BOSTON	26/0	25/6
	BNK BSTN-A	0	38/7
	BNK N-YORK	45/4	45/5
	BNK TR-NY	41/2	41/1
	BNKAMERICA	23/0	23/1
	BNKAM SPEC	6/4	6/4
i	BOEING CO BOISE CASC BND IN GLD BORDEN	70/1 43/4 8/1	70/1 43/3 8/1 63/2
	BOWATER BR TELECOM BRIGGS-STR	62/7 28/4 46/3 26/7	28/5 46/2 26/7
	BRIST-NYER	48/0	48/2
	BRUNSWICK	18/7	19/0
	C 3 INC	10/3	10/2
	C HUD G-EL	20/6	20/5
	CABOT CORP	43/2	43/3
	CAESARS WO	34/0	34/0
	CA FREIGHT	23/0	22/5
	CAS NAT GS	15/2	15/1
	CAST-COOKE	28/0	28/0
	CATERPI TR	59/6	59/5
	CBI IND	32/2	32/1
	CBS	184/6	184/5
	CENTEL CP	67/1	67/2
	CHAMP INTL	31/3	31/4
	CHAMP SPA	20/5	20/5
	CHARTER CO	5/0	5/0
	CHASE HAN	35/4	35/3
	CHEMED CP CHEMIC BAK CHEVRON	34/5 35/0 53/0	-
	CHRYSLER	23/7	24/1
	CHUBB CORP	68/0	67/7
	CHUR FR CH	6/1	6/1
	CIGNA CORP	54/4	54/5
	CIN MILACR	22/2	22/3
	CIR CIT ST	44/4	44/6
	CIRCLE K	15/2	15/4
	CITICORP	28/6	28/6
	CLARK EQUI	36/2	36/4
	CLOROX	33/1	33/4
	CMPBLL RES	,13	,13
	CMPBLL SP	39/5	39/4
İ	COACHHEN COASTAL	19/5 10/3 36/3	19/4 10/4 36/3
	COCA-COLA	52/0	51/7
	COLECO	,15	,14
	COLEMAN CO	73/5	73/5
	COLUM GAS COLUMBUS-C COM EDISON	48/3 36/7 107/0 33/0	48/3 36/5 108/0 33/1
	CONAGRA CON EDISON CONTINENTA	32/2 46/3 33/7	32/4 46/2 33/7
	CONTEL CP CONTR DATA	*02 52/4 22/0	*02 52/6 22/1
	COOPER T-R	25/6	26/0
	COOPER COM	4/2	4/3
	CORNING GL	34/0	34/2
l	CRAY RES	53/4	53/2
	CULLINET	5/4	5/4
	DANA CORP	39/7	39/6
	DANIEL IND	13/6	13/7
	DATA GEN	16/3	16/4
	DAYTON HUD	46/0	46/0
	DEC	97/7	97/6
	DEERE-CO	53/2	53/3
	DELTA AIR	60/4	60/4
	DIAMOND SH DIEBOLD DISNEY W	24/2 42/6 79/3 28/5	24/2 43/0 79/7 28/5
	DOVER CORP	28/\$	28/5
	DOW CHEMIC	92/0	91/4
	DOW JONES	32/2	32/4
	DRESSER IN	37/2	37/2
	DREYFUS	27/7	27/7
	DUKE POWER	44/6	44/6
	DUN BRAD	0	52/6
	DUPONT	104/2	104/5
	DUQUESNE	17/5	17/6
	DYNAMICS	23/5	23/4
	E SYSTEMS	28/3	28/2
	EAGLE PICH	14/3	14/2
	EASTERN G-	27/0	27/0
	EMERSON EL	31/1	31/1
	EMERSON RA	4/2	4/2
	ETHYL CP	23/7	23/6
	EXXON	0	41/7

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CONTINENTA	33/7	33/7
CONTL ILLN	*02	*02
CONTEL CP	52/4	52/6
CONTR DATA	22/0	22/1
COOPER T-R	25/6	26/0
COOPER COM		4/3
CORNING GL	34/0	34/2
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CULLINET	5/4	5/4
DANA CORP	39/7	39/6
DANIEL IND	13/6	13/7
DATA GEN	16/3	16/4
DAYTON HUD	-	
	46/0	46/0
DEC	97/7	97/6
DEERE-CO	53/2	53/3
DELTA AIR	60/4	60/4
DIAMOND SH	24/2	24/2
DIEBOLD	42/6	43/0
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DISNEY W	79/3	<i>79/</i> 7
DOVER CORP	28/\$	28/5
DOW CHEMIC	92/0	91/4
DOW JONES	32/2	32/4
DRESSER IN	37/2	37/2
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	27/7	27/7
DUKE POWER	44/6	44/6
DUN BRAD	0	52/6
DUPONT	104/2	104/5
DUQUESNE	17/5	17/6
DYNAMICS	23/5	23/4
E SYSTEMS	28/3	28/2
EAGLE PICH	14/3	14/2
EASTERN G-	27/0	27/0
EMERSON EL	31/1	31/1
EMERSON RA	4/2	4/2
ETHYL CP	23/7	23/6
EXCXON		41/7
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FAM DOL ST	10/7	11/0
FED NAT MO	68/6	68/4
FIELDCREST	26/3	26/5
FLEETWOOD	27/4	27/5
FLEMING CO	34/1	34/1
FHC CORP	34/2	34/0
FORD MOTOR	46/6	46/7
FOSTER WHL	17/4	17/4
FRCHLD IND	15/1	15/0
FREE MC OG		
	4/7	4/7
FST BANK	21/0	21/0
FST CHICAG	37/6	37/7
FST INTERS	47/7	47/6
FST #ISSIP	16/4	16/4
CAUSET SS	70 /7	70.7
GANNET CO	38/7	38/7
GAP STORES	41/4	41/5
GALVESTON	2/7	2/7
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GATX CORP	58/3	58/3
GCA CP	Ó	5/2
AFU BATA		F 47

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GEN DATA

		rr m	POZODOL P	.45/6	45/3	SEAGULL EN	17/0	17/1 ::
GEN DYNINGS GEN ELECT	~ 54/6 44/7	55/0 45/0	MOTOROLA: MRSH-MCLEN	64/2	64/4	SEALED AIR SEARS ROE	44/7	4577 <u>.</u> 4570 :
GEN HOST	8/6	· 8/7 ·	MURPHY OIL NAT INTERG	35/5 17/5	.35/5 17/6	SERV CORP	18/2	18/2
GEN HOUSVIR GEN INSTR	11/4 28/2	11/4 : 28/3	MRI CORP	1/3	1/3	SA STH PAC SHRSN HUTT	22/5 19/5	22/6 19/5
GEN HILLS .	62/5	62/5	. MCR CORP	. 56/3 23/2	56/2 23/2	SHELL TRAN	39/3	39/3
GEN HOTORS GEN SIGNAL	39/7 51/5	:40/0 . 51/7	NEW ENG EL	15/5	15/6	SHER PLOU	65/7 10/3	65/6 10/3
GENCORP :	17/3	17/3	HEHELL CO	34/2	34/0 39/7	SMITH INT SMITHK BEC	62/4	63/1
GENETECH	17/2	17/2	NEWMONT WI	39/5 34/2	34/1	SHAP ON TE	36/6	37/0
GENUINE PA	37/3 76/4	37/3 75/0	NE MOHO-10	59/0	58/0	SOURCE CAP	37/4 23/6	37/4 23/6
GEORGI-PAC	44/6	44/5	NI HOH7-72	8	73/4 12/6	Southern Spain Fund	10/7	10/6
GIBR FI CL	*15 17/7	. *15 17/7	NICOLET IN NICOR INC	12/5 31/5	31/4		10/4	10/4
GOLDEN MUG GOODRICH	52/6	52/4	MF INDS	23/1	23/2	SOLIARE D	53/4	53/6
GOODYEAR	47/6	48/0	NOBLE AFF	11/5	11/5 12/5	SOUTER STONE CONT	30/3	30/3
GRACE WR GRAINGER	33/1 53/6	. 33/2 . 54/0	NORD RESOLUTION NORTHROP	- 12/4 27/6	27/6	SUN CO	40/0	40/0-
GREYHOUND	34/0	33/6	NORTON	45/3	45/3	SUNDSTRAND SUNSH NIN	58/3 3/2	58/2 3/2
GRUMMAN.	21/2	21/3	NOVO IND NUCOR CORP	42/4 48/1	42/6 48/2	SUPER VAL	24/4	. 24/1
GULF-WESTN	11/1 50/7		OAK INDS	1/0	1/1	SOUTHUEST	26/7 17/7	26/6 18/0
HALLIBURTN	30/1	30/1	OCC PETRCP	26/7 18/0	26/7 18/0	SW GAS SWN BELL	44/1	44/1
HALLWOOD HANNA MIN	14/3 25/0	14/4 24/7	OCEAN DRIL OCDEN CORP	27/4	27/4	TDK	64/2	64/6
HARRIS CP	28/2	28/4	OH ED CO	20/1	20/2 24/7	TECO ENERG	23/3 20/6	23/3 21/0
HARTMARX HEINZ HJ	27/3 - 50/5	27/3 50/4	ONIO MATT OLIN CORP	24/7 52/5	52/3	TELEDYNE	349/5	350/3
HEL CURTIS	52/4	52/2	OMNI CARE	8/3	8/4	TELEPHONIC	24/1 0	-24/2 49/0
HELM-PAYNE HERCULES	25/3 47/0	25/3 47/1	ORION PICT PAINE WEB	18/2 18/0	18/4 18/0	TELEX CORP TERADYNE	12/2	12/2
HEWL-PACK	53/7	53/4	PAN AN	4/3	4/3	TESORO PET	12/3	12/3 *13
HEXCEL CP	30/0	30/0	PANHANDLE	21/3 5/6	21/3 5/6	TEX AMER B TEX EAS TR	51/2	
HILLENBRAD .	.31/0 57/2	31/1 - 57/6	PARKER DRI PARKER HAN	27/6	27/6	TEXACO	54/0	54/0
HITACHI	117/2	118/6	PATRCK PET	5/1 0	5/1 0	TEXAS IND TEXAS INST	33/5 40/3	33/4 40/0
HMSTKE MIN'. HNDY-HARMN	13/6 20/2	13/6 20/1	PULLMAN CO PC IND8-96	ğ	87/4	TEXTRON	27/2	27/2
HOLIDAY C	33/6	33/6	PEGASUS	. 0	11/0 -24/3	THOMPS MED TIDEWATER	10/1	22/3 10/1
NOME DEPOT	37/2 34/7	37/3 34/6	PENN, CENTR PENNWALT.	24/3 129/7	129/7	TIME INCOR	114/3	114/3
HONDA MOTR	28/6	29/2	PENNZOIL	84/7	85/0	TIMKEN TORCHHARK	-34/2 33/1	34/4 33/2
HONEYWELL HOUGHTN MI	71/0 46/7		PEOPLES EN	21/1 44/4	21/2 44/5	10500	5/0	5/0
HOUSTON IN	27/6	27/6	PF12ER	59/3	59/4	TOYS R US	40/2 34/5	. 40/3 34/5
HUGHES SUP	18/2	18/3 29/5	PHELPS DOD PHILIP MOR	58/6 119/4	58/7 119/6	TRANSAMER TRANSCO EN	36/2	36/2
HUMANA INC	29/6 110/6	111/0		23/1	23/2	TRANSCO EX	5/6 39/6	5/6 39/5
ICN PHARMA	6/2	6/2	PINNACLE W	14/1	14/1 44/4	TRAVELLERS TRINITY IN	37/0	36/6
ILL PUR CO ILLIN 4-08	14/3 18/4	14/3 18/4	PITN-BOWES PITTSON	44/4 21/5	21/4	TW CORP	31/6	31/7
INDIA GROW	9/6	9/5	POLAROID	37/1	37/2	TYCO LABS	34/3 118/2	34/2 118/2
INGR\$LL-RA	39/2	39/4	PORTLND GE PPG-INDS	21/6 43/1	21/6 43/3	UTD BRAND	14/2	14/3
JEFF PILOT JER PU 8-5	34/5 0	34/6 80/0	PRINE COMP	19/5	19/5	UTD TECH UNILEVER	46/2 62/7	46/4 63/1
JEK PW 6-3	36/7·	37/0	PRIME INNS PRIMERICA	25/7 21/0	25/7 21/0	UNION CAMP	36/1	36/0
SKT-NSHHOL	92/4	92/6	PROCT-GAMB	92/3	92/2	UNION CARB	30/0	30/0
K MART CP KAN CI P-L	38/0 29/4	38/0 29/4	PUGET SP-L	18/5	18/4 14/1	US SHOE USX CP.	18/7 32/7	18/7 33/0
KELLW000	30/0	30/1	PULTE HOME QUAKER DAT	14/0 54/5	54/5	us west	61/5	62/6
KERR MCGEE KEYSTONE	43/4 19/3	43/5 19/4	QUAKER COR	17/4	17/4	US AIR CP VALERO EN	42/6 17/1	42/6 17/2
KINB-CLARK	62/5	62/5	RALS PURIN	50/2 83/6	50/2 84/1	VALLEY IND	2/2	2/3
KLN R D AI	21/6	21/7	RAMADA INN	11/5	11/6	VARCO INTL	4/2	4/3
KN RID NWS	46/5	46/7	RANGER OIL	5/7 33/1	5/7 33/1	VARIAN ASS W PNT PEPP	26/6 57/6	26/7 57/6
KROGER CP LEA RONAL	10/7 16/6	10/7 16/6	RAYCHEM RAYMARK	1/6	1/6	WAINOC OIL	6/5	6/5
LEHMAN	12/0	12/0	RAYTHEON	67/5	67/5	WAL MART WALGREEN	33/7 37/7	34/1 37/7
LENNAR LINCOLN NA	21/1 49/7	21/2 49/7	REYNOLD ME RJR NABISC	55/2 86/7	55/4 87/0	WARNER COM	46/5	46/4
LITTON IND	78/4	78/4	ROCKES G-E	17/3	17/2	WARNER LAM	85/2	85/4
LOCKHEED	45/7	45/7	ROCKWELL	21/6	21/7	Waste Man Wash gas L	47/1 24/6	47/3 25/0
LOCTITE CP	38/5	38/5	Rohm Haas Rohr Inds	31/6 33/4	32/0 33/3	WENDY INTL	6/0	6/0
LOENS CORP LON-NETTLE	92/0 0	92/2 30/5	ROLLINS EN	10/3	10/3	WEST CO	16/7	16/7
LONE STAR	31/4	31/4	ROLLINS IN RORER GRP	18/0 40/6	17/6 40/5	WESTINGHSE WICKES COM	53/6 6/7	54/1 6/7
10MES	23/2 28/7	23/2 28/6	201111 2015	7/1	7/2	WILLIAMS C	30/4	30/5
LTD INC LTV CORP	20/1	2/2	ROYL DUTCH	62/6	62/7	VILLIAMS E	- 8/1 8/6	8/2 8/6
LTV 1-25	2/6	2/5	RSS BERRIE RYDER SYST	17/3 25/3	17/5 - 25/3	HOLVER YE	13/5	13/6
LTV 3-06B LTV 5-25	3/2 10/3	3/3 10/1	RYLAND GRP	20/6-	20/6	MOOLWORTH	0	50/7
LUBRIZOL	38/2	38/1	S DIEG G-E	37/4	37/4	WORLDCORP WRIGLEY	7/0 39/0	7/1 39/2
LUBYS CAFS	26/4	26/3	SALOHON SARA LEE	24/7 50/3	25/0 50/5	WYLE LABS	9/3	9/3
MALAYSIA F	8/2	8/3	SC ATLANTA	15/0	15/0	XEROX CORP	0	62/1 2/5
HGHT ASS	*09	*09	SCOTT PPR	40/3	40/4	ZAPATA ZAYRE CORP	0	24/7
M MARIETTA MA COM INC	45/1 7/5	45/1 7/4	SCOTTYS SE BANK CO	14/7 28/0	14/7 28/0	ZENITH EL	0	19/4
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EXXON	42	UNCH	HORN+HARD 7 1/4	+ 1/8
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MAXUS ENER	7	- 5/8	ELSINORE 3/8	UNC
ATT	31	- 1/4	SOTHEBY'S 28 1/8	- 5/8
BAROID COR	7 1/8	+ 1/2	BOLINE+CO 11 1/2	- 1/4
FRPT MCMOR	36 3/4	+ 3	ECHO BAY 15	UNC
NWA INC	89 7/8	- 7/8	NEW WORLD 8 5/8	- 1/8
NABSCO RJR	86	- 1	HOME SHOP 6 1/2	+ 1/8
PHILIP MOR	117 1/2	- 2 3/8	TELE DATA 39	UNC
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MICKELBERR	7 1/2	+ 3	SIERRA HEA 3	+ 3/8
WINNERS CO	2 3/8	+ 1/4	ATLAS CL B 2 1/4	
TITAN CORP	2 5/8		CENTRUST 3 7/8	., .
MAXUS ENER	7	- 5/8	INTEL SYS 2 3/8	-, -
OUTBOARD	29 7/8	- 2 5/8	AMBRIT INC 3 3/4	
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Wall Street Market Report

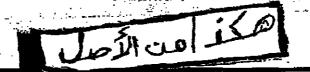
NEW YORK, April 14. (Reuter): A combination of futures-related selling, positionsquaring by traders and profit-taking on earlier gains drove Wall Street blue chips to a lower close. Analysts said investors were nervous about several key economic reports due out Friday.

Four indicators, including producer prices and the trade balance, will be released Friday morning. Technical analyst Jack Solomon at Bear Stearns termed today's selling "lightening up positions as a precautionary measure."

The Dow Jones industrial average slipped 24 to 2296. Decliners beat gainers by about two to one.

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International Bond Highlights

COLOGNE: No one is planning to abolish the West German withholding tax. Otto Graf Lambsdorff, chairman of the Free Democratic Party, said in an interview, Lambsdorff said during negotiations about a cabinet reshuffle no one agreed to abolish the tax. (XLHO 0632)

Frankfurt German bond prices soared on Thursday on prospects Bonn may abolish its popular 10 pct withholding tax on interest income. (XKZV 1659)
Washington: Drexel Burnham Lambert Inc. agreed Thursday to settle wide-ranging securities fraud charges brought by the Securities and Exchange Commission, instituting sweeping changes in a way it operates and polices itself. (XLGF Tokyo: Trading of yen public and corporate bonds by Japanese and toreign investors dropped to 2,016.35 trillion yen in the year ended March 31, 1989 from 2,655.26 trillion the previous year, the Japan Securitles Dealers' Association said in

a report. (XLHK 0539) Buenos Aires, Argentine Economy Minister Juan Carlos Pugliese announced the abolition of the two-tier foreign exchange system and said all transactions would be conducted at the free market rate as of Monday. (XLFW 0028)

Washington: The World Bank said its International Development Association affiliate will lend Bangladesh 200 mln dirs interest-free for 40 years to boost its energy sector and expand its export base. (XLCZ 2021)

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	PR.CLOSE	OPEN	CLOSE	GL INDIA	91	90.50	92	MUK IRON	104	104	105
PACC	322	320	330			42.50		NAT INDEX	387.75	104	379.55
ALEM CHEM				GRASIM		118.50		MIPPON		17	
alw mis				GSFC			151.25	NOCTI	45.50	43	42
ARI FAR					67	65.50		ORKAY	830	840	860
ASHOK LEY		76	79	GUJ WEAVY	12.50			OSHAL AGRO	25.75	25	25.50
ASIA PAIN	7 208.75	207.50	207 50	HERO HONDA				PEICO	24.50	82.50	80
ATLAS COP	48	48		HIND CIBA	955			PFIZER	74 74	24.50 72	25.50
AUTO CORP				HIND COCOA		113.75		PONDS			73 407 54
BAJAJ AUTO	0 427.50			HIND LEVER					197.50		197.50
BAR RAYON			445	HIND MOTOR				PREM AUTO	55	55	60
BK BOND	148			HINDALCO	262.50			ranbaxy Ray wool	115 78.50	105 77	110
BLOW PLAST			140	HOECHST	865			RECKITT	177.50		78.50 177.50
BOM DYE	137.50	139		IND ORG	39	39		RELIANCE	146	145	153
BSE INDEX	753.98			IND RAYON	90.50			SESA BOA	47	46.50	47.50
BURR WEL	210	202.50	210	LONGHI				SHRI FIB	80	78	80
CANSHARE	170			INGERSOLL	375	375		SIEMENS	79	78	80
CEN ENKA	2650	2625	2710		70		74	SKF	2760	2700	2820
CEN SPG	1830	1820		JK SYN	79	79	80.50	SPIC	63	62	65
COLGATE	350	350	355		187.50			ST MILLS	250	250	260
CROMT GR	850	825		KIR CUMM	77.50	77.50	76.25	TATA CHEM	119	118	118.5
DCM	14.50	13		KSB PUMPS	360	355	362.50	TATA OIL	71.25	71,25	72.50
DEEP FERT	32	31.50	32.50	L AND T	102.50		103	TATA POW	330	330	332.5
DUNLOP	92.50	87.50		LIPTON	77	76	76	TELCO	805	805	825
EI HOTELS	53	52		MAC RUSSEL	92	94	96	THAPP AGRO			
ESCORTS	64	62.50	64	MAD COATS	95	95	97	TISCO	1282	1278	1293

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FOOD SPL	191.2	188	190		645	645	640	VOLTAS	700	680	
FORBES	55	54		HILKFOOD	275	265	265	MINCO	28	26.	50
GAR POLY	76.25	75	77.50		102.50		106.25	ZENITH	65.50		F
GE SHIPING	43.50	43	43.50	MRF LTD	415	405	415	ZUARI AGRO	3 62.50	62.	50
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AEG	223.5	215.		TOMORILLA		690	2700	MITSUB ES		2530	2
ALLIANZ VR	1838.0	1842.	1	AKAI ELEC		730	720	MITSUB H		1100	1
BADENWERK	190.2	189.		ACKI		460	1440	HITSUI CO		1170	1
BASF	301.5	303.	-	ASAHI GUS		440	2430 920	MITSUKOS!	•	2320 980	2
BAYER	304.2	306.		ASAHI OPT		210 550	920 1670	MITSUMI E		1800	1
BAYER HYP	385.0	381.		BANK TOKY				MICHICON		1190	-
BAYER VER	400.0	401.		BRIDGESTO		500	1500 1690	NIHON CHA		1790	1
BBC	447.5	446.		CANON-		700		NIKKO SEC		1830	1
BHF	480.D	485.	- 1	CASIO COM		200	1390	NIP ELEC		912	- "
8147	524.0	527.		CHUGAI PH		30	1560	NIP KKOKA	-	1680	1
COMMERZBK	251.5	252.		CITIZEN W		200	1020	NIP OIL		930	- 1
CONT! GUMM		265.		D-ICHI KA		20	3320	NIP STEEL		_	
DAIMER BEN	702.5	709.		DAI NIP I		191	895	NIP YUSEN	-	1020 1520	10
DEUTSC BAK	. 548.0	549.		DAI NIP P		90	2250	NIS MOTOR			15
DLY	510.0	508.		DAI NIP S	_	90	1040	NOMURA SE	•	3350	33
DRESONER B	332.0	333.		DAI NIP TO		46	945	OHBA CO	-	1060	10
DT BASCOCK	175.5	176.		DAICEL		10	1100	OLYMPUS		1240	12
FAZ INDEX	0	585.2		DAINA H		10	2010	PENTA OCN	-	1540	15
FELDMUENLE	342.0	345.		DATHA SEC		00	2310	PIONEER	_	3150	31
GÖLDSCHMID	408.0	410.1		EBRA MFG	20		2060 1950	RENOUN	-	1000	10
HARPENER	457.0			EISAL		50		RICOH		1240	12
HOECHST AG		306.	- 1.	FULTSU		70	1460	SANKYO	: -	2470	25
HOESCH	245.0	248.		"FUJE BANK		80	3430	SANYO ELE	-	930	9
HORTEN	236.0			FUJI PROT			3470	SEIYU ST		2140	20
HUSSEL HLD	534.0	539.		FUJISAWA	_	70	1660	SEKISUI P	-	1770	17
KALI SALZ	210.5			FUJITA CP		20	2200	SHARP		1300	13
KARSTADT	470.0	474.		HITACHI		50	1550	SHISEIDO		1710	17
KAUFHOF	460.0	456.		TOM ACKON		90	1890	SONY	_	6800	67
KLOECK H	174.5	174.		ISETAN	_	80	2290	SUMITOMO		1420	14
KLDECK W	169.0	173.		ITO YOKAD		30	3520 1350	TAISEI		1830	18
LINDE	743.0	775.		JAP SYN R		20	16000	TAISHO MR		1290	17
LUFTHANSA	167.5	169.		JAPAN AIR		XXX 150	1090	TAKEDA CH	•	2340	23
MAN	275.0			JAPAN MET		40	2400	TEIJIN		872	/EE
MANNESMAN	232.4	235.		KAJINA		30	4410	TKO NEW I		7.42 2040	455 2
MERCEDES	547.0	550.		KANSAI EL		620	1620	TOKIO HRI	•	1260	1
METALLGES	435.0	442		KAO. SOAP		32U 360	1060	TOKYO ELE		1110	1
NIXDORF PF	315.0	305		KAHASAKI		223	915	TOKYO GAS	•	5980	5
NORSK HYD	47.50	48.0		KAWASAKI		920	1940	TOKYO PO		978	,
PHILIP KOM	715.0	711		KIRIN BRE		350	4754	TORAY IN			1
PORSCHE	693.0	693		KUBATO LI		270	1320	TOSKIBA I	:L	2090	2
PREUSSAG	274.0	275		KYOCERA		700	4800	TOTO KKO	ev ·	952	-
PWA	305.5	305		HAKITA EI		660	1630	TOYOTA H		2500	. 2
RHEINMETAL	463.0	469		MARUI		610	2590	ARAMAY	41 .	1430	•
RWE	268.0	267		MATSUTA		430	2400	YAMAITCH	7	1770	• 1
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STOCK	LAST	PR-CLSE
BANK EA	16.20	16.30
CATHAY	9,30	9.30
CAVENDISH	372	370
CHELING K	10.50	10.40
CHIMA L-P	14.30	14.20
DAIRY FARM	725	720
EYERGO IND	3.07	3.05
GY EAGLE	0	- 0
H S INDEX	82.71	79.15 18
KAEĈO	18	
hang lung	6.50	6.15
HENDERSON	6.50	6.40 6.43
NK BANK	6.50	0.43
HK ELEC	8.15	8.10
HK GAS	19.70	19.80
HK LAND	11.30	11.30
HK TELECON	5.25	5.30
HK-S HOYEL	6.05	6.05
HOPEWELL:	3.30	3.27
HS BANK	25.70	25.70
HUTCHINSON	11.10	11.00
HTSAN DEV	1.57	1,55
JAR MATH	20.70	20,40
JŠN	13.20	13,10
KM BUS	8.95	9.00
LAI SUN	170	171
MANDARIN D	O	0
MIRAMAR	9.05	9.05
NEW WORLD	14.30	14,20
PAUL Y CON	1.55	1,52
SHK PROP	14.40	14,30
STELUX	3.20	3.17
SVIRE A	20.90	20.90
TAI CHEUNG	5.50	5.35
TV-B -	1.27	1,27
WHARF	11.20	11,00
		10.50

CONT.	1.00	1440	MIIOUT OC	1110	
asahi gus	2440	2430	Hitsukoshi	2320	2330
ASAHI OPT	910	920	MITSUMI EL	980	995 .
BANK TOKYO	1650	1670	NICHICON	1800	1760
BRIDGESTON	1500	1500	NIHON CHNT	1190	1150
CANON	1700	1690	NIKKO SEC	1790	1790
CASIO COMP	1400	1390	NIP ELEC	1830	1820
CHUGAI PHN	1530	1560	NIP KKOKAN	912	900
CITIZEN W	1000	1020	NIP OIL	1680	1700
D-ICHI KAN	3320	3320	NIP STEEL	930	908
DAI NIP IK	891	895	NIP YUSEN	1020	1000
DAI NIP PT	2290	2250	NIS MOTOR	1520	1520
DAI NIP SC	1090	1040	MONURA SEC	3350	3320
DAI NIP TO	946	945	OHBA CO .	1060	1090
DAICEL	1110	1100	OLYMPUS	1240	1230
DAINA H	2010	2010	PENTA DEN	1540	1550
DATHA SEC	2300	2310	PIONEER	3150	3150
EBRA MFG	2050	2060	RENOLIN	1000	1000
EISAL	. 1950	1950	RICOH	1240	1240
FULTSU	1470	1460	SAHKYO	2470	2500
FULL BANK	3480	3430	SANYO ELEC	930	930
FULL PROTO	- 3380	3470	SEIYU ST	2140	2080
FUJISAWA	1670	1660 .	SEKISUI PB	1770	1770
FUJITA CP	2220	2200	SHARP	1300	1320
HITACHI .	- 1550	1550	SHISEIDO	1710	1700
HONDA MOT	1890	1890	SONY	6800	6750
ISETAN	2280	2290	SUMITOHO.	1420	1440
ITO YOKADO	3530	3520	TAISEI	1830	1810
JAP SYN RU	1320	1350	TAISHO MRN	1290	1270
JAPAN AIR	16000	16000	TAKEDA CH	2340	2340
JAPAN MET	1150	1090	TEIJIN	872	879
KAJINA	2440	2400	TKO NEW IX	457.42	455.21
KANSAI EL	4430	4410	TOKIO HRN	2040	2050
KAD. SOAP	1620	1620	TOXYO ELEC	1260	1260
KAHASAKI H	1060	1060	TOKYO GAS	1110	1130
KAWASAKI S	923	915	TOKYO POWR	5980	5960
KIRIN BREU	1920	1940	TORAY IND	978	985
KOMATSU	1350	1320	TOSKIBA EL	1260	1240
KUBATO LTD	1270	1240	TOTO .	2090	2090
KYOCERA	4700	4800	TOYO KKOGY	952	95 1.
KAKITA EL	1660	1630	TOYOTA HOT	. 2500	2520
MARUI	2610	2590	ARAMAY	1430	1380
NATSUTA EI	2430	2400	YAMAITCHI	1770	1790
NATSUTA EL	0	2660	YAHANOUCH I	3350	3410
₩EIJI SEIK	1060	1020	YAHAZAKI	1380	1390

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TOKYO'S NIKKEI INDEX ENDS HIGHER IN THIN TRADE

TOKYO, APRIL 14, REUTER - THE KEY NIKKEI INDEX FLUCTUATED TOKYO, APRIL 14, REUTER - THE KEY NIKKEI INDEX FLUCTUATED THROUGH THE DAY IN DULL, DIRECTIONLESS TRADE TO END HIGHER, MAINLY DN A SURGE OF INDEX-LINKED BUYING IN LATE TRADE. THE BROAD MARKET WAS SLIGHTLY EASIER. MOST INVESTORS SAT OUT AHEAD OF THE WEEKEND AND IMPORTANT U.S. ECONOMIC DATA DUE OUT TODAY. INVESTORS HOPE THE FIVE DIFFERENT FIGURES DUE TODAY WILL

INVESTORS HOPE THE FIVE DIFFERENT FIGURES DUE TODAY WILL PROVIDE CLUES TO CURRENCY AND INTEREST RATE DIRECTION, SOMETHING THE MARKET IS VERY PREOCCUPIED WITH NOW.

THE NIKKE! INDEX ROSE 86.50 POINTS, OR 0.26 PCT, TO CLOSE AT 33,150.44, JUST AFTER TOUCHING THE DAY'S HIGH OF 33,151.22.

IT FELL 138.67 POINTS TO ITS LOW OF 32,925.27 AT HIDDAY.

THE KEY 225-SHARE NIKKE! FELL 192.51 POINTS ON TRURSDAY AND WAS 34.61 POINTS, OR 0.10 PCT, EASIER IN THE WEEK. TURNOVER FIZZLED OUT TO A MERE 650 MLN SHARES, THE LOWEST

LEVEL IN ABOUT THREE WEEKS, COMPARED TO 850 MLN ON THIRSDAY.

TRADERS SAID IT SEEMS THERE WERE THO MAIN SPURTS OF

INDEX-RELATED BUYING, ONE AT THE ONSET OF THE AFTERNOON SESSION BY A FOREIGN HOUSE AND ONE NEAR THE CLOSE BY A BIG JAPANESE HOUSE. THEY ADDED THAT IT IS USUALLY THE INVESTMENT

TRUSTS THAT DO THE INDEX BUYING. THIS GAVE A BOOST TO HIGH TECHNOLOGY AND FINANCIAL SHARES, SINCE THEY HAVE A RELATIVELY HIGH WEIGHTING IN THE INDICES.

DEPARTMENT STORE MATSUZAKAYA CO LTD IS A GOOD BAROMETER OF INDEX-LINKED BUYING SINCE IT IS VERY HEAVILY MEIGHTED IN THE NIKKEI AND OTHERWISE NOT A VERY POPULAR STOCK. THE SHARE PRICE

MIKKEI AND OTHERWISE NOT A VERY POPULAR STOCK. THE SHARE PRICE SOARED 220 YEN, THE MARKET'S THIRD BIGGEST GAIN TODAY, TO CLOSE AT THE DAY'S HIGH OF 5,970 AFTER OPENING AT A LOW 5,800. THE BROADER FIRST SECTION INDEX, OR TOPIX, FIRMED 2.21 POINTS TO 2,457.42 AFTER FALLING 11.18 POINTS ON THURSDAY. FALLS EDGED RISES BY 449 TO 375 WITH 235 ISSUES UNCHANGED. THE BIGGEST GAINERS WERE AUTO, GLASS/CEMENT, SHIPPING, ELECTRICAL, AIRLINE, TRUCKING, MACHINERY, STEEL, PRECISION INSTRUMENT AND RUBBER SHARES.

Hong Kong Market Report

HONG KONG, APRIL 14, REUTER - THE MARKET RECOUPED AN EARLIER 20.90-POINT LOSS TO CLOSE SLIGHTLY FIRMER. THE HANG SENG INDEX ROSE 3.56 POINTS TO 3,082.71. BROKERS SAID THE LOW TURNOVER STEMMED FROM CAUTION AHEAD OF THE WEEKEND AND RELEASE OF U.S. ECONOMIC DATA LATER TODAY.

INCLUDING U.S. FEBRUARY TRADE DATA AT 1230 GMT. MUNEASINESS OVER U.S. ECONOMIC DATA WAS THE REASON BEHIND INITIAL SELLING, BUT SENTIMENT IS MAINLY BULLISH SO THE MARKET REVERSED, " SAID ED ALLINSON OF FIRST PACIFIC SECURITIES.

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"IT WAS ENCOURAGING THAT THE MARKET CLOSED UP EVEN THOUGH

NEW YORK CLOSED LOWER, " SAID LING DELGADO, OF CHIN TUNG.

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As of 7.4.789		CI SG	JOR NATIONAL BANK	2.46	
•			JOR PAPER CARDBRDG	3.75	
ALA-ADDIN COMPANY	19.1	1.85	JOR PHOSPHATE MINS		
ARAB ALUMINUM IND.	1.90	1.90	JOR PIPES MANUFACT	1.75	_
ARAB BANK		150.5	JOR PRESS/PUBLISH.	1.79	
ARAS CHEMICAL DIER			JOR PRINTING/PACK.		4.40
WAB FINANCE CORP.	2.44	2.41	JOR ROCK WOOL IND.		0.96
vrab insurance		1.09		1.12	1.11
			JOR SELPHO CHEM.	2.58	2.58
ARAB INT.UNION INS			JOR WOOD INDUSTRY	2.13	2.14
WAS INTER.HOTELS	0.99		JOR WORSTED MLL	5.60	5.40
ARAB JOR/INVST/BK			JOR WORSTED MLL JOR. KUWAIT AGR	0.92	0.91
VRAB PAPER CON/TRD	0.45	0.43	JOR. PETROLIUM REF	7.96	8.00
RAB PHARMA.MANF.	3.06	3.03	JOR FRENCH INC	5 45	5.45
RAB PHARMA/CHEM	0.99	0.98	JOR. INV. FIN. CORP	2.33	2.30
ARABIAN SEAS INS.	1.65	1.65	JORADAN GULF REAL	0.35	0.35
	15.45		JORDAN DAIRY	0.95	0.94
BEIT AL-MAL/BEITNA			JORDAN GULF BANK	1.30	1.28
BELGIUM INSURANCE			JORDAN GULF INS.	0.94	0.95
ATON AMMAN DANK	71 m	30.00	JORDAN INSURANCE	2.82	2.68
CAIRO AMMAN BANK CONFECT/CHOCOLATE	1 05	1 75	JORDAN ISLANIC BNK		
DAR AL SHAAB PRESS					2.01
DAR ALDAWA DV/INV.			JORDAN KUMAIT BANK		1.40
					0.71
ARCO/INVEST/HOUS.			• - • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •		0.77
INANCE/CREDIT/COR			MAS INDUSTRIES	0.69	0.73
GARAGE CHINERS OFF SENERAL INSURANCE	4.55		NID EAST EXCHANGE	1.17	1.11
			MIDDEL EAST HOTEL	0.46	0.44
ENERAL INVESTMENT				2.05	2.00
ENERAL MINNING.			MINERALS RESEARCH	0.75	0.75
IIHHEH MINERALS	0.75		NAI.FIN.INVEST CO	2.10	2.15
OLY LAND INS. ND./MATCH JEMCO	1.44	1.44	NAI/CABEL/WIRE/MF	1.80	1.79
NDSTRL DEVLPT BNK	0.67	0.67 1.63			1.28
NDSTRL/COMM/AGR.	1.57	1.60			0.97
NOUSTRIAL INVEST.		0.75			0.88 2.87
NTERN.CON/INV	0.13	0.13			0.28
RBID ELECTRICITY	0.90		DETDA DANK	2 55	2.50
SLAMIC INV. HOUSE	0.64			0.35	0.35
TERMED/PETRI/CH	1.75		PHILADEI PHIA INC	1.10	1.71
_TOUR-SP COMPLEX	0.79	0.80	PRECAST CONCRETE	83.0	0.66
ERUSALEM INS.	1.26	1.29	RAFIA INDUSTRIAL	1.82	1.91
O TOBACCO/CIGARET	19.50	19.00	REAL ESTATÉ INV.	0.64	0.64
OR CERAMIC FACTOR	1.90	1.92	SHIPPING LINES	1.07	1.07
OR EAGLE INS.	25.05	25,05	SPINING WEVING .	1.08	1.09
OR ELECTRIC POWER	1.46	1.45	THE HOUSING BANK	1.90	1.90
OR FINANCE HOUSE				1.16	1.16
OR GLASS INDUSTRY	1.00		UNIVERSAL CHEM.IND	3.08	3.07
OR HOTEL TOURISM	2.30	2.30		0.65	0.68
OR INDUSTRY CHEM.	2.42	2.42	WOOLEN INDUSTRIES	0.90	0.90

PHILIPPINES MAKATI

1.20 1.20 YARMOUK INSURANCE 1.30 1.30

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COMMERC	CIAL/IND	USTRIAL	SECTOR	BC-A	78.50	79.00	78.50
STOCK	BUY	SELL	OPEN	LC-A	.29	_30	-30
AC-A	18.00	18,25	18.00	LC-B	.30	.31	.31
ANS	2.50	2.55	2.60	PX-A	.29	.30	.29
GLO	31.50	32.00		PX-8	.30	.31	.30
PLDT	285.00	287.50	287,50	OIL SE	CTOR		
KPSI-A	3.35	3.45	3.35	BP-A	.014	.015	-015
KPSI-B				BP-B	.015	.016	
SHC-A	199.00	200.00	198,00	LRC-A	.0032	.0034	,0034
SHC-B	257.50	270.00	260,00	LRC-B	.0032	.0036	.0036
BRINING	SECTOR			OPM-A	.046	-047	.046
APX-A	.021	-022	.021	OPM-B	-047	.048	.048
APX-B	.021	.022		OV-A	.041	.042	.041
AT-A	47.00	47.50	47.00	OV-B	.042	.043	-042

Makati Stock Market Report

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SHARES	VALUE	AVERAGES	CHANG	ΈS
626.885	26,183,002.50	1,071.66	18.07	UP
			42.37	UP
			0.053	UP
			11.05	UP
	SHARES 626,885 382,148,700 390,950,000	626,885 26,183,002.50 382,148,700 9,645,825.00 390,950,000 8,725,070.00	SHARES VALUE AVERAGES 626,885 26,183,002.50 1,071.66 382,148,700 9,645,825.00 5,147.71	SHARES VALUE AVERAGES CHANG 626,885 26,183,002.50 1,071.66 18.07 382,148,700 9,645,825.00 5,147.71 42.37 390,950,000 8,725,070.00 6.705 0.053

PHIMPPINES MANILA

PTOPY	THE DAY	6611		BC-A	78.50	79.00	78.50
STOCK	BUY	SELL	OPER				
SHC-A	200.00	201.00	198.00	BC-B	85.50	90.00	85.50
SHC-B	257.50		260.00	LC-A	.29	.30	.30
SD-TIRE	39.00		39.00	FC-8	.30	.31	.31
PLDT	285.00	287.50	287.50	219	.014	-015	.014
ANSCOR-	A2.60	2.65	2.55	OIL SEC	TOR		
AC-A	18.00	18.25	18.00	STOCK	BUY	SELL	OPEN
GLO		32.00	32.00	BP-A	.015	.016	.015
FER-A	2.30	2.38	2.28	Bb-B	.015	.016	.015
FER-B	2.42	2.50	2.46	LRC-A	.003	.0032	.0032
MINING	SECTOR			LRC-B	.003	-0036	•
STOCK	BUY	SELL	OPEN	OPH-A	.046	.047	.046
APX-A	.02	.021	-021	OPH-B	.047	.048	.047
APX-B	.021	.022	.021	A-VO.	.041	-042	.041
AT-A	47.00	47.50	46.50	OA-B	.041	.042	.042
AT-B	47.00	47.50	47.00	TĀ	_023	.024	.023

Manila Stock Market Report

OFFICIAL	INFORMATION			
SECTOR	SHARES	VALUE	AVERAGES	CHANGES
C/I	1,243,955	11,555,455	1076.53	UP 16.41
MINING	784.760,650	30,710,335	4807,40	UP 20.79
OILS	464,100,000	10,287,510	7_088	UNCH.
TOTAL	1,250,104,605	52,553,300	934.90	UP 7.14

SINGAPORE

1	NAME	Last Pr	CL.	G KENT	72	7	KEPPEL	414	
				G LUMBER	130	13	KLIMP ENAS		12
1	ADEF A			G TOWN		10	M FEEDMIL	155	15
	ADEF B	•		G U KLDGS		10	M FEEDMIL		_
	OTOHONILA		20	GANDA HDG	36.5	37.	N FLOUR		27
1	AMAL IND	117	11	GEN CORP	80.5	82.	M GLASS	245	24
	AMAL PROP	31	3	GENTING	580	58.	M TIN PRT	75	7
	AMCOL	170	17	GEOR T RT			N UTD IND N UTD MFG	240	24
	BERJAYA	131	13	EOFD COCH	192	19	N UTD MFG	99.5	99.
1	BOUSTEAD	142	14	129	1.56	15	M'SHITA		ಬ
		•		GUI NNESS	358	35	M'WATA	104	10
	CARLS8ERG	545	54	GULA		28.	MAGNUM MALEX IND	272	26
	·COM	336	33				MALEX IND		38
							HCB HLDGS		11
	CHEM IND	•					MINEBEA		12
	CK TANG	410	41.	HAW PAR	320	32	HULPHALTD	45	45.
	COLD STOR	364	35	HEXZA	76	7	MULTIPURP		10
		47	4	INNO-PAC	156	15	AURATA100	70/	7-
	DKH		48	INNOVEST	96	9	N ST TIME	224	. 36
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	DUTCHBABY		42	ISETAN	665	66	ROBINSON	266	
	ELEC MAGN	195	19	J SHPYARD	555	59	ROTH IND	202	
	ESSO ORD	360	35	JACKS LTD	120	12	s fodder		.7
	EU YAN S.		24	JC ENT	110	10	S PACIFIC		33
	FACB	29	2	JC-MPH	120	12	s press	670	
	FE SHIP	358	33	JOHAN HDG	47	47.	S PRESS F	735	70
	. FEN ORD	930	90	K G HLDGS		11	S SHIP	488	50
	FER CABLE		6	K KELLAS		22	S'WANG M	195	19
	FED FLOUR		45	KAMUNTING	90.5	9	SANYO	103	10
	FINA BHD		30	KE SANG	106	10	SHELL ORD	505	
	FUJITEC		65	KECK SENG	190	18	ST STMSHP	282	28
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Singapore Stock Market Report

SINGAPORE STOCKS CLOSE AT ANOTHER RECORD HIGH SINGAPORE, APRIL 14, REUTER - THE STOCK MARKET MAINTAINED A STRONG RALLY AND THE STRAITS TIMES INDUSTRIAL INDEX CLIMBED TO A NEW POST-CRASH HIGH OF 1,244.27 POINTS, A GAIN OF 2.96

POINTS FROM THURSDAY'S CLOSE. PRICES ROSE FOR THE FIFTH STRAIGHT DAY IN A WEEK OF HECTIC TRADING. THE INDEX HAS RISEN ABOUT 58 POINTS SINCE MONDAY. BROKERS SAID EARLY TRADING SHOWED NERVOUSNESS FOLLOWING A SHARP FALL ON WALL STREET BUT INVESTORS AND SPECULATORS

RE-EMERGED AFTER THE FIRST HALF HOUR. GAINS LED FALLS BY 112 TO 96. TURNOVER ROSE TO 154.6 MLN SHARES FROM THURSDAY'S 151.8 HLM.

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DANK SERTED		As of 7				
BANK SECTOR -NATIONAL BANK	P.CLS 0.950	LT 0 .9 50	HIGH 0.950	LOW		TRADE 14
-GULF BANK	0.375	0.370	0.375	0.950 0.370	171616 480000	15
-COMMERCIAL BK	0.280	0.275	0.275	0.275	500000	30
-AHLI BANK	0.315	0.315	0.315	0.310	90000	4
-B.K.M.E	0.335	0.335	0.335	0.335	270000	6
-K.R.E.B.	0.335					
-BURGAN BANK	0.285	0.285	0.285	0.285	630000	13
-K.F.HOUSE	0.470	0.470	0.470	0.470	850000	22
INVESTMENT SECTO	R					
-KWT INV. CO.	0.095					
-K.F.T.C.I.C.	0.210					
-K.1.1.C.	0.068					
-COM.FACILITIES	0.425					
-AHLIAH INV.	0.000					
-I.F.A.	0.048					
-INV. PEARL KWT	0.088				40000	
-NATIONAL INV.	0.071	0.069	0.069	0.069	40000	1
-KWT PROJECTS.	0.077					
INSURANCE SECTOR	0 (10					
-KWT INSURANCE -GULF INSURANCE	0.610					
-AHLIA INS. CO.	0.000					
-WARBA INS. CO.	0.340					
REAL EST SECTOR	0.540					
-KWT R.EST. CO.	0.132					
-UNI R.EST. CO.	0.050					
-NAT R.EST. CO.	0.180					
-SALHIAH R.E.	0.080					
-KWT R.E.I.CON	0.000					
INDUSTRY SECTOR					•	
-NAT IND. CO.	0.000					
-KWT M.P. IND.	0.300					
-KWT CEMENT CO.	0.170					
-REF. IND. CO.	0.000					
-N.A.H.T.CO. -GULF CABLE	0.000 0.990					
-K.PH.IND. CO.	0.168					
-CONT.MARINE	0.280					
-K.SH.REP.CO	0.045					
SERVICES SECTOR						
-DVERLAND TRANS	0.082					
-K.N.C. CO.	0.180					
-KWT HOTELS CO.	0.000					
-P.WAREHOUSING	0.134	0.132	0.132	0.132	80000	4
-COM.MKT.CMPX.	0.077					
	0.285 0.150					
FOOD SECTOR	J. 1JU		-			
-LIVESTOCK T.T.	0.150					
-UNTO FISHERIES	0.136					
-UNTO POULTRY	0.000					
-KWT FOODS	0.290					
-AGRI.FOOD PRD.	0.150					
NON-KWT SECTOR	o o/=				F /	_
	0.063		0.064		560000	
BHN.M.EAST.BK			0.048 0.085		240000	3 3
COAST INVEST.	U.UG)	0.004			200000	3
-A.G.INV.GROP	0.550	0.033	0.035	0.055	80000	-
-PIKSII:GOLF BK -BHN.KUW.GROP						
	0.033					
KUWAIT S	_					
COMPANIES LISTED			MARKET			
FINANCIAL SECTOR -GULF INTL INS		LT	HIGH	LOW	VOL	TRADE

ZURICH

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NESTLE I

NESTLE N

NESTLE PS

OE BUEHR I

7500

6680

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-ARAB INT CO.

GULF UNION INS 0.000 -R.K.WHITE CHNT 0.000

-AJMAN CEMENT. 0.000

B-FUJA1RAH CEMT 0.000

C-SHARJAH CEMENT 0.010

INDUSTRIAL SECTOR

-SHARJAH INS

D-GULF CEMENT

LANDIS PS MERCK I

STOCK	LAST	PR-CLSE	OE BUEHR N	410	410
BAER HDGS	11950	12250	OE BUEHR P	375	371
BALDISE PS	2580	2610	ROCHE BABY	15275	15300
BC 1 A	3560	3570	ROCHE I	46000	44000
K LEU I	2950	2975	RUECKVER I	9900	9900
K LEU N	2550	2525	RUECKVER N	8225	8250
K LEU PS	365	368	RUECKVER P	1740	1765
CFV	0	1150	RY TR BK	1130	1110
CIB GEIG I	3425	3440	S BNKGSL I	3430	3450
CIB GEIG N	282¢	2835	S BNKGSL N	755	759
CIB GEIG P	2620	2650	S BNKGSL P	123.00	123.50
CKA	0	1300	S BNKVRN I	330	332
CRED SUI I	2935	3020	S BNKVRN N	299	303
CRED SUI N	622	640	S BNKVRN P	295	294
EG LAUFEN	0	1725	SANDOZ I	10750	10700
ELEKTROWAT	2950	2960	SANDOZ N	9275	9100
EMS CHEM I	4580	4575	SANDOZ PS	1990	1950
GLOBUS I	6100	6100	SULZER N	5675	5675
GLOBUS N	0	6300	SULZER PS	462	462
GLOBUS P\$	1015	1010	SVB	1740	1730
JACOBS S I	7460	7480	SWISSAIR	1050	1060
LACOBS S N	1420	1430	SWISSAIR N	950	960
JACOBS S P	640	640	y THUR I	4630	4625
JELM I	2375	2425	W THUR N	3695	3720
JELM PS	348	345	W THUR PS	734	741
LANDIS N	1340	1325	ZURICH I	5025	5050

Interbank Hates

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PAR ZUR BRX ROM AMS	10-3/8 1/8 5.75/85 8-8-1/8 4-7/8 5-1/8 8.60 12-1/4 12-3/4 6.37/50 3 30/32 4.00	12-13/16 11/16 6.05/10 8-3/8 1/2 5-7/8 6-1/8 7-7/8 8.00 11-7/8 12-3/8 6.43/53 4.15/32 17/32	13-3/8 1/4 6.40/45 8-5/8 3/4 6-1/8 6-3/8 8-3/16 5/16 12-1/4 12-3/4 6.65/75 4.19/32 21/32
	3.30/32 4.00	4.15/32 17/32	
	7.87 8.12	8.25 8.37	8.56 8.68

Cur	ency ra	tes
	r, April 14, (KU	

Curre	ncyi	ates	Sterling Dm. S. fr.	0.49111 0.15433 0.17406	0.49325 0.15498 0.17483
KUWAIT, Following	ire the inte	mational	F. fr It. lira Jap y e n	0.04554 0.0002098 0.0021820	0.04580 0.0002109 0.0021926
currency rat banks and Central Bar	announce	i by the	Bh. dinar UAE dh. S. riyal	0.76882 0.07891 0.07729	0.77162 0.07918 0.07755
day. US dollar	Buying 0.29000	Selling 0.29075	O. riyal O. riyal	0.07962 0.74263	0.07992 0.75539

Dow Jones Plus Indices

	LAST	CHANGE		FOR
! HD	2,296.00 -	23.65	2,321.85	2,289.59
TRANS	1,071.96 -	3.56	1,082.63	1,066.95
UTILS			186.88	
65 STKS	878.07 -			875.20
NYSE COM		4 - 1.		•
S-P COMP	OSITE 296	.40 -	2.5 9	
NYSE IND		3 - 1.	64	
AMEX IND	EX 333	.44 -	0.79	
NASD COM	P 413.8	6 - 1.	82	
NASD BAN	KING 454	.84 -	1.28	
WASD FIN	'L 494.8	5 - 1.	24	•
NASD IND	s 406	.79 -	1.93	
	INDEX 277.0	5 - 2.	23	

Interest Rates

KUWAIT, April 14, (KUNA): Following are the average KD interest rates of local interbank transactions as reported by participants to Central Bank of

Kuwait yesterday Period 9-3/8 9-3/8 9-1/2 l month 3 months 6 months 9-9/16 9-1/16 l year

Riyal rates firm

Kuwait dinar deposits generally steady

KUWAIT, April 14, (Reuter): Kuwaiti dinar interbank deposits were generally steady on Thursday in moderate trade which focussed on short-dated funds as operators covered posi-

Overnight funds rose four points from Wednesday's levels, dealing at eight and then nine per cent, but dealers said this reflected a rise in demand ahead of the Gulf Friday weekend.

Spot-next was steady at 9-1/4, 8-1/2 per cent, with deals reported at nine. Tomorrow-next rose to nine, eight per cent from eight, six with business reported early in the day at 8-3:4. One-week was quoted 1.4 point lower at 9-1/2, 8-1/2.

Steady Dealers said fixed periods were generally steady but some business was reported as a major bank borrowed the one-month and lent the three-month maturities. The move was seen as a normal step to balance the bank's books but some dealers said it could have been prompted by speculation of lower interest

One to three-month deposits were indicated at 9-1/4, 8-3/4 per. cent. Deals were reported in the three at 9-1/8 and nine per cent. Six-months to one-year were steady at 9-3/8, 8-7/8.

The Central Bank adjusted its dinar exchange rate softer to 0.29025/35 to the dollar from 0.29012/22 on Wednesday. Commercial banks quoted spot rates of 0.29000/29100. Saudi riyal interbank deposit

rates firmed in active trade on Thursday as liquidity tightened. Dealers said large cash withdrawais from some kingdom banks - thought prompted by higher

spending during the Muslim holy month of Ramadan - drained funds from an already tight Short-dated funds rose shar-

ply in response to growing demand.

Quotes for the spot-next climbed to 11-1/8, 10-5/8 percent from 8-1/2, 3/8 on Wednesday. It initially dealt as high as 11-5/8 per cent. The one-week rose to 10-1/4, 9-3/4 per cent from 9-7/8, 3/4, with initial business reported at 10-1/4.

Fixed periods were marked higher on the back of the rise in the short-dates but dealers said many operators remained sidelined ahead of US economic statistics due on Friday. Riyal deposits often closely track Eurodollar rates.

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Li calls for more Japanese investment

Move to protect consumers

Iraq returns to

pricing system

that prices of all other agricul-

tural produce will be set

immediately by the central com-

mittee, and a monitoring system will be established at wholesale

Efforts

tem in all its economic sectors in

1987, in an effort to stimulate

productivity in its war-battered

and heavily indebted economy.

But there have been com-

plaints recently even in the gover-

nment-run newspapers about the

high prices, especially for meat,

poultry and agricultural

warnings, intervened to stop prices it described as "unrealistic

stop coercion and protect con-

sumers from the parasitic

elements in the private sector and

even to protect the private sector

It also stressed that offenders

would be tried at the revolution-

ary court, which usually deals

with cases involving security

Trade surplus may lead to more friction

Japan fails to achieve 'its goal'

the official statement

The government, after earlier

"We were forced to interfere to

produce.

and illogical."

Iraq abolished the pricing sys-

centres to check prices.

TOKYO, April 14, (Reuter): Chinese Premier Li Peng, at the start of a five-day visit to Japan on Wednesday, called for more Japanese investment in China during talks with Prime Minister Noboru Take-

Foreign ministry officials said the two leaders held a two-and-half hour discussion on a wide variety of topics but did not go into details.

They said the Chinese premier's main priority was an increase in the transfer of Japanese investment and technology, although Li did not mention specific projects.

Li, the first Chinese premier to visit Japan since 1982, called on Japan to deal seriously with long-standing historic

US to release

\$230 million in

economic aid

WASHINGTON, April 14. (AP): The United States has

decided to release \$230 million in

economic aid to Egypt that had

been held up while the Arab government undertook bureaucratic reforms, the State Depart-ment said Wednesday.

Formal notification to Con-

gress is expected by the end of the

week. Congress can delay the

resumption of aid, but legally

cannot block it. A US official

said there is no serious opposi-

tion to ending the one-month

suspension.
The 230 million covers cash

payments to Egypt for this year and for 1988. Overall, Egypt is

due to receive \$1.63 billion in US

economic assistance for the two

years plus surplus food. making

it the largest US aid recipient

Congress conditioned delivery

of the 230 million in cash

payments on unspecified reforms in the way Egypt admini-

sters the aid. A decision to resume coincided with a visit last

week by President Hosni

In response to a reporter's

question, the State Department

press office issued a statement

quoting President George Bush

as saying Mubarak "enjoys our

full support as he implements

courageous reform measures to

strengthen Egypt's economy for

Boosted

boosted after the two countries

signed a peace treaty in 1979.

Since then, the United States has

been liberal in assisting the two

administration is backing a proposal by Israel Prime Mini-

ster Yitzhak Shamir to hold elec-

tions among the 1.7 million

Palestinian Arabs who live on the

Mubarak has called instead

for an international peace con-

ference and said the Palestine

Liberation Organisation should

The Arab League, of which

Egypt is a member, and the PLO

both rejected the proposal this

week. On Tuesday, the State

Department asked all critics to

withhold judgement until the

condition of anonymity, said no

direct appeal was made to the

PLO, with which the United

States opened talks last Decem-

The US official, who spoke on

proposal is developed.

West Bank and in Gaza.

participate.

At the moment, the Bush

Aid to Israel and to Egypt was

future generations.

except for Israel.

Mubarak.

to Egypt

pinpointing what the problems are. Concern

He referred with concern to Taiwanese diplomacy but Takeshita assured him that Japan's ties with the nationalist island were in accordance with the Sino-Japanese communique which normalised relations

China welcomes Japan's recent initiatives toward improving ties with North Korea but Li made no offer to act as a go-between for Japan, an official said. Japan hopes to enlist China as an inter-

mediary in its dealings with Phongyang, with whom it has no diplomatic ties. The Chinese leader is accompanied by

BAGHDAD, Iraq, April 14, (Agencies): Iraq facing soaring prices of agricultural goods,

decided yesterday to return to

government-fixed prices of all produce, the official Baghdad

The radio said that President

Saddam Hussein decided to rees-

tablish the central pricing com-

mittee, responsible for setting

prices for all agricultural

It will be headed by the under-

secretary of the Agriculture Min-

in a statement read over the

The statement said the

decision to go back to the pricing

system was taken to protect con-

sumers from "greed" exploita-

Prices of tomato were brought

down from 4.5 dinars (\$14) per

kilo to 1.5 dinars (\$4.6) and a

package of 30 eggs under the new

system costs 2 dinars (\$6.2) ins-

The President's office stated

radio, the government announ-

ced new prices for poultry, eggs and tomato, which had soared to

unprecedented levels.

radio reported.

produce.

istry.

Qichen and Minister of Foreign Economic Relations and Trade Zheng Tuobin. He meets 55-year-old Emperor-Akihito

his wife, as well as Foreign Minister Qian

yesterday, and is expected to invite him to make the first visit to China by a Japanese monarch. This would be seen as a symbolic gesture

to help heal the wounds of Japan's wartime occupation of China that still plague ties between the two Asian neighbours. On increased investment, officials and

businessmen said earlier this week that Tokyo was expected to be cautious as it watches Beijing struggle with a morass of

But it has still pledged to co-operate in

Meanwhile Faw and Khan-

agin, two Iraqi oil tankers, are now being loaded with gasoil and

naphtha at the southern port of

Khor Al-Zubair as part of a drive

to step up oil product exports from Gulf outlets, according to

Oil Minister Issam Abdul

The minister stated here on

Tuesday that "this is the first

time for Iraq's oil industry to

export petroleum by-products

by tanker through the Gulf,"

noting that "so far exports have

This is the second shipment of

petroleum products to be carried

by "Khanaqin" since the ceasefire went into effect in

August 1988.
The first shipment of 19,000

tons of gasoil was carried by the

tanker from the Khor Al Zubair

port to the United Arab

Al Chalabi explained that the

export of oil products through

the Gulf followed the recent re-

opening of the Basrah refinery,

after undergoing extensive repair

been restricted to crude oil."

Raheem Al Chalabi.

official said Takeshita told Li Japan would take a new batch of 100 Chinese for technical training.

Reforms

A decade ago China launched sweeping economic and social reforms under which are now blamed for soaring inflation which reached 18.5 per cent last year and an underground economy rife with corruption.

Japan is China's second biggest trading partner after Hong Kong. Exports from Japan totalled \$9.48 billion in 1988 up 14.9 per cent from 1987. Imports were 9.86 billion in 1988, up 33.2

per cent, official figures show.

GPA Group plans largest aircraft order in history

order for aircraft in history worth up to \$20 billion, a spokesman for the aircraft leasing firm confir-

med yesterday.

James King, chief operations officer of the group formerly known as Guinness Peat Aviation, said about 200 aircraft would be purchased from the West European consortium Airbus Industrie and the US giants Boeing Co. and the McDonnel

Douglas Corp.
"The manufacturers tell us this would make it the biggest aircraft order in aviation history," King

The largest so far is US carrier Delta Airlines \$10.5 billion order last September which with options totalled 225 Boeing and McDon-

Asked to give an exact figure

narrow- and wide-bodied planes," he said. It is understood GPA will be awarding the engine orders to the US groups General Electric Co. (GE) and Pratt and Whitney, Rolls-Royce PLC of Britain, the US-based multinational consortium IAE International Aero Engines and CFMI, a joint ven-ture between GE and Snecma of

holders include major financial institutions and international airlines, has speedily joined the big league of aircraft-leasing com-

GPA announced after-tax profits of \$101 million in the last financial year and industry analysts expect profits to exceed \$150 million when the figures for this year are published next

DUBLIN, April 14, (Renter): Irish-based GPA Group Ltd is to announce next week the largest

told Reuters.

nel Douglas aircraft.

for the value of the GPA order, King said: "It is well in excess of \$10 billion and a figure of 20

billion has been mentioned." He declined to give more financial details until the order is officially announced next Tuesday in London, Paris and New

"They will be a mixture of

GPA, whose corporate share-

Stake

It was set up 14 years ago by Irish entrepreneur Tony Ryan in ding on the perimeter of Shannon airport in western Ireland. Rvan now has an eight per cent stake valued at over \$100 million in

The firm, whose owners include Air Canada, Prodential Insurance of Britain and the Mitsubishi Group of Japan, already has 350 new aircraft on order.

Smuggling gold into India a lucrative proposition

NEW DELHI, India, April 14. (AP): Serpentine lines form before customs officials at New Delhi's international airport every time a flight lands from the duty-free ports of Singapore or

Dubai. Hundreds of passengers, mostly Indians returning from shopping trips, clutch whisky bottles, bags from duty-free shops and stuffed suitcases while waiting for customs clearance.

Invariably, the first question asked by stern-looking officers is: "Are you carrying any gold?"

Other than a small amount of personal jewellery, importing gold into India is completely probibited. The government says buying it wastes precious foreign

Yet, tens of thousands of kilogrammes (pounds) of gold are smuggled into the country every year to meet demand. Indians believe gold is auspicious, and gold jewellery is

exchanged and given as dowry in almost all marriages.

"Gold looks good," said Kiran Nanda, a New Delhi housewife, who says she has gold jewellery worth about Rs 50,000 (about \$3,330).

"My dream is to wear 10 bangles on each hand and a heavy gold necklace, which would mean about five times the gold I have now," she says. "It's all for

That kind of demand has made the metal more expensive in India than anywhere else in the world. While it currently sells for about \$338 per ounce on the world market, it goes for about Rs 8,960 (\$589.50) here. Profitable

"Gold is the most profitable item to smuggle," one white-uniformed airport customs official said. "It's easy to buy. easy to carry and easy to sell Bring in one kilogramme (2.2 pounds) and you make Rs 100,000 (about \$6,500)."

Many try, and in many ways. In recent months, customs officers have intercepted a woman wearing a wig over a

skull cap made of gold, gold his-cuits in a washing machine and powdered gold in a tin of baby food. Those convicted of gold smug-

gling face prison sentences of up to three years and stiff fines. But customs officers privately admit that officials seize only five to 10 per cent of the total amount being smuggled into the country. At that rate, the record 6,100 kilogrammes (13,420 pounds) of gold seized in 1988 means at least 54 tons are estimated to have

escaped detection, they say. The government has been trying to crack down on smuggling, after it passed a law enviling informers and officers to 20 per cent of recovered contraband seizures jumped from 524 kilogrammes (1,153 pounds) in 1984 to 2,525 kilogrammes (5,555 pounds) in 1985.

'Risk of recession is growing'

US retail sales rise

WASHINGTON, April 14, (Reuter): US retail sales rose a scant 0.1 per cent in March while car sales fell for the third consecutive month, suporting a growing body of evidence that the economy is slowing, the government said yesterday.

Retailers registered a season-ally adjusted \$139.42 billion in sales last month after business fell a revised 0.6 per cent in February, the Commerce Department said. It had previously estimated the February drop at 0.4 per cent.

The March sales increase, which had been expected, was not enough to keep pace with recent price hikes, suggesting that actual sales volume declined, economists said.

Food stores, restaurants and gasoline stations were the only major retail group to increase sales last month, mainly because of higher prices, economists said. Meanwhile, there were declines in car, clothing, furniture and hardware sales.

"It is suggestive of some slowing in consumer activity, which is to be expected," said Bill Griggs of the Griggs and Santow investment strategy firm in New York.

"It is another sign of an economy that is cooling off," added economist Sandra Shaber of the Futures Group, a Washington forecasting firm.

A number of indicators issued last month pointed to slower economic growth in February. including declines in factory orders, industrial operating rates and housing starts.

Still, the sluggishness of retail sales surprised some economists since the driving forces behind consumer spending — personal income and job growth — have been strong, although the pace of job creation tapered off somewhat in March.

"Other indicators are up the question is why aren't retail sales?" said Shaber. "I guess the answer to that is interest rates."

The Federal Reserve Board has been pushing interest rates higher for more than a year to ease inflationary pressures by discouraging borrowing and unnecessary spending.

"The March retail sales report provides further evidence that the risk of recession is growing," said economist William Mac-Reynolds of the US Chamber of Commerce.

Sugar to be rationed in Moscow

MOSCOW, April 14, (AP): The booming demand for sugar, used by some Soviets to make moonshine, has forced authorities to impose rationing in Moscow starting in May, a newspaper

Each Muscovite will initially be limited to buying two kilogrammes (about 4 1/2 pounds) of sugar per month, it said.

Sugar has been rationed in many areas of the Soviet Union for months, but some Muscovites said the limits on sugar purchases announced on Wednesday in the Muskovskaya Pravda newspaper are the first decreed in the capital since World War II.

Demand for sugar skyrocketed in the Soviet Union after Soviet leader Mikhail S. Gorbachev launched his anti-alcohol campaign in April 1985, which included sharp cuts in the production of vodka and other alcoholic beverages.

Gorbachev and other Soviet ficials have blamed the increase in sugar consumption since then on Soviets who buy the substance to brew "samogon," or moonshine, at home.

Moskovskaya Pravda quoted Valery A. Zharov, chief of the consumer trading department of the Moscow city government, as saying the "sugar boom" in Moscow began in April of last year, and that the product disappeared then from city stores.

The city's government reques-ted an extra 50,000 tons of sugar to meet increased demand, but consumption again shot up in February, Zharov said.

Businesses plan to boost capital spending

WASHINGTON, April 14, (AP): American businesses plan to increase spending on plants and equipment by 6.3 per cent this year after a 10.1 per cent rise in 1988, the government said yesterday.

The Commerce Department said a survey completed in March found businesses plan-ning to spend \$450.39 billion for expansion and modernisation

If realised, that would surpass the previous record of \$423.77 billion in capital spending set last year All of the numbers have been adjusted to take inflation into account. The new estimate for capital spending in 1989 represents an

increase from an earlier survey released in December, when businesses said they planned to boost spending by 5.9 per cent this year. The upward revision came as

most analysts were predicting an economic slowdown this year as the record peacetime recovery extends into its seventh year.

The Federal Reserve Board has been pushing up interest rates for a year in an effort, to cool the economy and restrain inflation. US President George Rush's administration and some analysts, however, have expressed concern that the anti-inflapotent and unintentionally push

the country into a recession. Continued strength in capital spending and, resulting growth in production capabilities could help extend the life of the economic expansion and ease inflationary pressures that have mounted as factories in some industries operate at rates near full capacity.

When factories operate near capacity, producers face continued increases in overhead, due to wages and other factors, but the inability to increase production, forcing a rise in prices.

Budget negotiators reach tentative pact

George Bush, a Republican, and for the Democratically controlled Congress reached a tentative agreement on Thursday night on a framework for the fiscal 1990 budget that sidesteps political pain for members of both parties. Bargainers worked until after 11 pm (0300 GMT), alternatively thrashing out the details behind closed doors in a Capitol office, and

The month-long talks have been aimed at reaching agreement on a plan that would slice the deficit for the fiscal year beginning Oct 1, to \$100 billion, as required by the Gramm-Rudman balanced budget law.

hit the target by agreeing to \$28 billion worth of savings. **Participants** Sources said the participants had reached a consensus. But did not completely rule out a last-minute snag before presenting it to Bush at a

shortly before the session with Bush.
"I'm fairly optimistic we'll have something," he said.

economists and others believe that the budget negotiators would have to find billions of dollars more in savings than the \$28 billion agreed upon if they used more realistic assumptions. The optimistic projections negate the need for even tougher savings decisions.

Writing Ways and Means Committee, confirmed Thursday that the bargainers had agreed to raise \$5.3 billion by imposing additional

Bush has insisted often that he will live up to his campaign pledge of opposing what he calls "new taxes." The agreement - which leaves the decisions on the types of taxes for later - allows Bush to claim he has

honoured that promise. Bush favours raising \$4.8 billion by cutting capital gains taxes, which he says would prod the economy. Democrats oppose the idea.

raising fees the government charges for certain services.

The rest of the revenue would come from selling federal assets and

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shot up again in March, to \$4.13 billion from 3.40 billion a year earlier, which is likely to spur more trade conflict, economists said. Expansion

"The continued expansion is going to frustrate US politicians," said economist Hidehiro Iwaki at NRI and NCC, the research arm of Nomura Securities. Japan's surplus with the United States has clim-

TOKYO, April 14, (Reuter): There was good news

and bad news in Japanese trade figures announced

yesterday and economists said more trade friction

The March customs-cleared trade surplus ended

six straight months of expansion, dropping 9.7 per

cent to \$6.74 billion from 7.46 billion a year earlier.

high trade surpluses mean pressure from other

nations to open its markets — Japan reported its

surplus bulged in fiscal 1988/89, ended on March 31, to \$79.01 billion from 75.99 billion the previous

Japan's trade surplus with the United States also

Along with the good news — for a country where

bed four of the past five months, destroying 10months of declines up to October 1988. "We are seeing growing signs of more trade friction with the United States," said economist

"Trade figures such as these are unlikely to ease trade protectionism. A government official also conceded that Japan

David Pike at UBS Phillips and Drew International.

may fail in its promise, though by just a slight margin, to reduce its overall surplus in trade of goods on a current account basis to \$93 billion in 1988/89 from 94.28 billion the previous year. The 1988/89 current account trade figures, cal-

Emirates.

lated differently from the customs-cleared data. will be reported at the end of the month. Already those figures, for the 11 months from March 1988, total about \$85.5 billion.

As they usually run more than a billion dollars higher than customs-cleared data on a monthly basis, the chances of the surplus holding under the \$93 billion target are slim.

The original 1988/89 trade target had been set at

\$81 billion but was revised upwards in January this In a way, the government has already failed to achieve its goal, Pike said, as the revision came after

most of the trade data was in.

Finance Ministry officials said they cannot predict whether Japan's trade surplus will continue to expand as there are uncertain factors, such as the yen's exchange rate and crude oil prices.

ber over Israel's objections.

WASHINGTON, April 14. (AP): Budget negotiators for US President

getting their colleagues' reactions to parts of the emerging deal. Because the Bush administration and congressional leaders have agreed to use optimistic economic projections, they have said they can

White House meeting set for Friday morning.

House majority leader Thomas Foley told reporters as Thursday's session ended that the negotiators would reconvene in the morning

"It's likely there will be agreement sometime prior to" the White House meeting, said Rep Bill Frenzel, ranking Republican on the House Budget Committee. "In fact I'd say I'm almost certain."

The fiscal 1989 deficit is expected to exceed \$170 billion, and many

Negotiators have been discussing splitting the savings evenly between spending reductions and new revenues. Assets
Rep Dan Rostenkowski, a Democrat and chairman of the Tax-

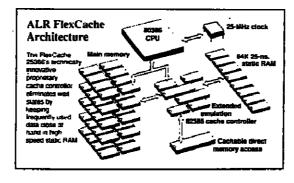
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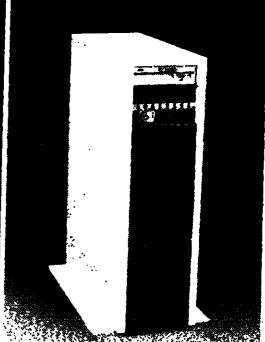
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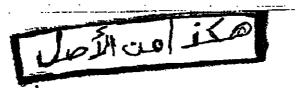
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KTV I weekly highlights

SUNDAY 8.00 Holy Quran

8.10 Islamic Horizon 8.20 Cartoons

8.30 Scientific Eye: "Shape and Strength." The shape of things and their strength.

9.00 News in English 9.40 Forty Hadith Qudsi

9.50 Morder, She Wrote: 'Murder Through the Looking Glass." A dead body is found in a river; and Jessica believes she knows who the killer is. Starring! Angela Lans-

10.30 Nature Watch: "Octopus,"

11.00 Eisenhower and Lutz: "The Whiplash Kid Returns." Part 2. Megan tells Lutz not to meet his former girlfriend.

11.30 Best-Seller: Best-Seller: "Glory Enough for All." Part 2. The story of Frederick Banting, who won the Nobel Prize for discovering insulin at the turn of the century

1.00 News Summary/ Magazine D'Actualite/ Holy Quran/ Closedown

MONDAY

8.00 Holy Quran 8.10 Islamic Horizon

8.20 Cartoons 8.30 Wild America: "Woodpeckers." A look at

Woody-Woodpeckers 9.00 News in English 9.40 Forty Hadith Qudsi

9.45 American Basketball 10.30 Flat 227: Mary and Sandra are at odds with each other in tonight's comedy



Nicole lights for survival during: a storm at see in Danger Bay." Wednesdays.

WHAT'S ON

Kuwait Science Museum

islamic Aris Mussum

Tareq Rajab Museum

OPEN Saturday to Wednes-

day, 8-9 pm only. Natural his-

tory exhibits from in and

around Kuwait, including blue

whale. Closed on Thursday and

SAT - Thurs.: 9 am to 12

noon and 7.00 to 10.00 pm.

Collection includes rare

Islamic artefacts. Quranic

manuscripts; ceramics, carpets

and marine equipment. Arabian Gulf St.

RAMADAN timings Sat -

Thurs.: 9 am to 12 noon and 7-

10 pm. Collection of Islamic

aris, costumes and jewellery

from the Muslim world on

SAT - Thurs : 9 am to 12

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include bedouin handicrafts-

rug, saddle bags, cushions and

textiles. Clused on Friday.

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Friday.

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11.00 Alfred Hitchcock Presents: "The Man Who Knew Too Little." Bill Stewart looses his memory while staying in a hotel.

11.30 French feature film: "Le Chat." Starring: Jean Gabin, Simone Signoret, Raymond Danon. The story of a lonely, ageing couple and their boredom which leads to a terrible tragedy. 1.00 News

Summary/ Magazine D'Actualite/ Holy Quran/ Closed-OWD

TUESDAY 8.00 Holy Quran 8.10 Islamic Horizon

8.20 Cartoons
8.30 Captain Power: a sci-fi adventure set in 2147, it is about Lord Dread's war against the human race and Captain Power's attempts to stop his advance. In tonight's episode, Power realises that a general in his team has gone over the edge.

9.00 News in English 9.30 Forty Hadith Quds 9.45 Medicine in Islam

10.30 The Fourth Arm: Set in World War II, it tells the story of a British officer, commissioned to destroy an ammunition fac-



Captain Power wants to save the human race from destruction, Tuesdays

WEDNESDAY

8.00 Holy Quran

8.20 Cartoons

8.10 Islamic Horizon

Nicole.

9.00 News in English 9.40 Forty Hadis Qudsi

8.30 Danger Bay: "Cast-aways." A carefree trip to deliver a friend's sail-

9.45 Sonny Spoon: "Hazard of Odds." Sonny finds

jewels to his boss.

10.30 Bill Cosby Show: Dr Huxtable is on a diet,

11.00 Just for the Record: Peo-

boat becomes a survival

test for Grant and

out his friend gives fake

and everyone watches

his every move. Can he

overcome the craving

for good food? Starring:

Bill Cosby, Phylycia Ayers-Rashad.

tory, who returns to Britain to form a team. 11.00 Bustin' Loose: "Go for the Gold.' All the children want to become top sports people.

Comedy
11.30 Q.E.D.: "With a Goal in Mind." A look at how the mind can influence action. An experiment is conducted on a football

12.00 The Equaliser: South African agents chase a girl who helps a man set-tle in the US. Why? McCall follows the case. Starring: Woodward. Edward

I.00 News Summary/ Magazine D' Actualité/ Holy Quaran/ Closed-

> ple go to any lengths to set a record. A look at some of the daring persons who overcame odds to become the first to cross a barrier. 12.10 Wednesday Feature "Deadline Madrid." Starring! Brian Thayer, Lee Lawson. A female journalist is assigned to cover thes tory of weapon smuggling to a country in Africa.

1.00 News Summary/ Holy Quran/Closedown THURSDAY

8.00 Holy Quran

8.10 Islamic Hirzon 8.20 Cartoons

8.30 Mansters Today: "Far-ewell Grandpa." Hermann has a touch of the flu - and the sound of his sneezing shakes to walls of his home. 9.000 News in English

9.30 Forty Hadith Qudsi 9.45 The Beauty and the Beast: "Chamber Music." Vincent wants to help a talented piano player who is now addicted to drugs.

10.30 Paul Daniels Magic Show: British magician Daniels presents this show featuring several illusions.

11.00 Late Night Movie: "Death on the Oregon Trail." Starring: Rod Taylor, Charles Napier. A peaceful journey towards the wild, wild west turns into a nightmare when one of the men in the wagons is killed. The Alleged killer is found, and charged but someone stops his execution.

1.00 News Summary/ Holy Quran/Clsoedown

FRIDAY

8.00 Holy Quran. 8.10 Islamic Horizon 8.20 Cartoons

8.30 Interbang: Johnny and Bruno are asked to deliver a letter to a professor in Pisa.

9.00 News in English

9.30 Forty Hadith Qudsi

9.45 Why Islam: A special programme for Ramadan. Persons who

have turned to Islam tell why they like the Muslim faith. 10.00 Big League Soccer: Brian Moore introduces British League Soccer

games. 11.30 Weekend: A local

programme Hanter: "Revenge." Part One. The diplomat from a Latin American country seeks immunity after raping two women, one a police officer. Hunter, enraged by the act, follows the diplomat to take revenge.

1.00 News Summary/Magazine D'Actualite/ Holy Quran/Closedown

obscure music hall artist strug-

gling against a background of

acute poverty. Two years later

he was hailed by Motion Pic-

shman surcharged with dynamite' and had become one of

the best-known figures in the

world. To celebrate the centen-

ary of Chaplin's birth Elizabeth

Burke talks to people who

knew and worked with him. (Apr. 18, 2300 hrs; Apr. 19;

A Pair of Spectacles: Sydney

Grundy's melodrama was first

produced at the Garrick

Theatre in 1890. It is the story

of Benjamin Goldfinch (Frank

Middlemass) a gullible, weal-thy landlord who can never

bring himself to raise his rents.

When his brother Gregory

proves to him that the latest

hard-luck story presented by

one of his tenants is a fabrica-

tion he drops his spectacles,

smashing them to pieces. He

borrows Gregory's and sud-

dealy sees things in a different light. (Apr. 16, 1501 hrs).

Recommended frequencies

0930 hrs).

BBC Highlights

Who was Hitler?

Adrian Boult Sir Adrian Boult was still conducting in 1978, at the age of 89. He lacked the flash of Sir Malcolm Sar-Barbirolli but his strong and steady interpretations won him a deep respect wherever they were headed. It was Boult who, in 1918, "first caused the planets to shine in public" as the composer Hoist wrote in a thank-you note. Michael Kennedy, Boult's biographer, knew him well and over the next four weeks he presents a musical portrait of the great British conductor. (Apr. 21, 1330 hrs; Rep. 2015).

Who was Hitler? Adolf Hitler's twin goals were the elimination of the world's Jews and the conquest of more territory for Germany, par-ticularly at the expense of the Soviet Union. It was these aims which led to a war that decimated the population of the world and split the continent of Europe in two. The dictator's secretary Traudi Junge is among the contributors to this investigation of Hitler by Christopher Andrew. (Apr. 15; 2200 hrs; Apr. 17; 1815 hrs).

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Pakistani Eid Dinner

May 11: Kuwait Goans will crown the May Queen at Messilah Beach Hotel. Top Ranks and Next of Kin in attendance. Highlights of the evening will be Alexandre Rosario's performance. For details call 2413348; 4881387.

MAY 18: 8 pm, Messilah Beach Hotel: Annual dinner with special guest speaker Brian Close, former captain of England and Yorkshire. Live music. For tickets and information call Simon Clements --

5333248; or Vai Tudball —

MAY 18: Messilah Beach Hotel The Caledonians will hold a "celeidh" (gathering) with entertainment by John Carmichael and others. Tel: 5335082; 3727690 ext. 253.

HOTELS

At Remade Al Salam El Bendar: offers special iftar and subour buffet; Al Gandoul Grill Garden, open in the evenings offers a selection of grills in

Al Mawardy Garden: After iftar, relax in the open-air with a cup of tea or coffee and watch a selection of movies on the big At the Holiday Inn

Coffee Shop: Offers iftar buffet every evening. Babylon and Lobby Cafe: A variety of Arabian sweets and fresh fruits with Jellab juice. Trio Dimension provide music up to 10 pm. At the International

LA PALMA: Iftar buffet from a different country each week; begins in Egypt and goes on to Saudi Arabia, the Emirates and Kuwait. It will be open from 6 pm to 3 am for suhoor. At the Plaza

NOURA Terrace: open from 7 pm to 12 midnight, featuring Lebanese mezzeh and other treats.

or Asian food. Speciality: plat du jour.

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TELEVISION PROGRAMMES

KTV 1

11.00 Holy Quran 11.30 Al Madrasah al Mohammadia: religious serial

12.15 Cartoon 12.30 Cultural film

1.30 Cartoon serial 2.00 Al Nabi Ha Hina: historical serial, starring Mahmoud Yaseen, Madiha Kamel, Amina Rizk. 3.15 Ibtahal Deeni

3.30 Daerat Al Naar: Arabic serial starring Talhat Hamdi. Samar Sami, Rashid Asaf.

4.30 Musabaqat Ramadan

5.00 Al Ribaya: Arabic serial. starring Noora. Yusuf Shaban. Salah Ahmad Saadaní Maher.

5.50 Hadith Deeni 6.00 Quran Al Kareem A1 — 6.30 Safinah Asdigah: cartoon

serial 7.00 B'aad Al Iftar: Hadith Deeni

7.15 Al Tam'aeen: serial for children, starring Khalid Al Obaid, Ali Mufeedi, Munz Essaa.

8.00 Nur ai Islam 8.35 Security and Citizens 9.30 Musabaqat Ramad-10.00 News in Arabic

10.50 A'ad Wa Lakin: Arabic serial, starring Ghanem Al Saleh, Hayat Al Fahad. Maryam Ghadban, Dawood Hussein. 11.45 Asakum An Awada,

Maidi. 12.00 Al Talatiya: daily serial, featuring Mahmoud Mursi, Ma'ali Zayed.

presented by Rasha

FOOTBALL: The Amiri Cup football tournament will be shown from 9 pm nightly on UHF Channel 6 and VHF Channel 47, until April 26. The soccer games will not interrupt normal viewing on KTV I and KTV 2.

12.50 Variety Show: with Nabil Shuail

2.15 News Summary 2.20 World News via Satellite

2.50 Holy Quran/Closed-

KTV 2

8.00 Holy Quran 8.10 Duck Tales 8.30 Animals of Africa: Wild Africa, as it was. Tonight, a look

at hippopotamus. 9.00 News in English 9.30 Forty Hadith Qudsi: presented by Hamza Ben Sahnun

Reaching for the Skies: a documentary on aviation history. Tonight, it examines fighter bombers, 10.30 pm, KTV 2

> 9.45 Italian football 10.30 Reaching for the Skies: "Bombers", A look at fighter-bombers and how they were used in World War I and II.

11.30 Made-for-TV Movie: "Sherlock Holmes and the Secret Weapon". Starring: Rathbone, Basil Nigel Bruce. A Swiss scientist, who is a guest of Holmes, is kidnapped

Britain.
1.00 News in Brief/Holy Quran/Closedown

Please note that programmes and timings are liable to change without notice.

15 The Ken Bruce Show

Opera of the Week

FM Services

0600 Opening/Easy Listening

1000 Songs and Music 1200 Arabic Songs and Music 1300 Easy Listening

30 Jazz for the Asking (ex Ist and

8th Composer of the Month)

News Summary followed by 1st and 8th Play of the Week:

Body and Soul; 15th Who

Was Hitler?; 22nd and 29th

45 Personal View (ex 1st and 8th

Play of the Week contd)

45 Sports Roundup

1800 Newsdesk

RADIO PROGRAMMES

BBC World Services

30 Personal View 45 Recording of the Week (ex 8th Grand National Preview)

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Bangladeshi children welcomed the Bengali New Year on April 12 with a musical programme.

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British Council "TO THE LIGHT-HOUSE", this month's feature

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SOCIAL

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film, has ben cancelled due to unavoidable circumstances. The film was scheduled for showing April 15/16. A British Council press release regrets "any inconvenience caused" to the public.

April 20: KLT, Ahmadi, will present entertainment to celebrate the St Georges Day at Unity Centre, Ahmadi, in the presence of the British ambassador. Tickets KD2 including buffet. Tel: 3983724, 3985964.

Bayanihan
APRIL 21: A get-together
for KAPILKU members will be held at the Church Hall from 2.30 to 6.30 pm. All Filipinos are welcome. Free admission.

gala buffet and selection of Summer Queen contest. Tel: Hilary Baretto 5741380 (2-7.30 pm); Julio 5734513 (5 pm onwards); and Merces 4890566 (from 3 pm).

MAY 6: The Weekend Club will hold the Summer Affair 89 at Regency Palace Hotel on the first day of Eid. Top Ranks and Perfect Strangers in attendance. Highlights: Jive contest,

Remo's Show
MAY 11: The Expatriates Club will hold a dinner-musical at the SAS Hotel, Remo. India's pop-star will be the star performer. City Limits and Perfect Strangers in atten-dance. For details call Tony 2415439; Wilson - 3918905 (office hours); Val - 5614504

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On the yellow brick road again



Putting on the style: Elton John

Elton John is back in form again. After a harrowing year which included separation from his wife Renate, laser throat-surgery and vicious character assassination, the star is ready to embark on a world tour. A new single and a duet with soul queen, Aretha Franklin, will also be released

By Gill Pringle

ELTON JOHN, dapper in an £8,000 Italian designer suit, bounces into his dressing rooms in the giant Palais des Sports just outside

With a glittering black Nehru cap wobbling on his cropped, bleached barnet he looks much happier than he has for a long time.
"I've learned a lot over the past few years,

and nothing will ever get me down again," he says as he prepares for the first night of his year-long world tour.

"There are people out there with far greater worries than mine."

Elton's worries over the last year have included separation from his wife Renate Blauel, laser throat surgery and a newspaper campaign of vicious character assassination. Elton won £1 million damages for that, but

he felt so miserable he even put his beloved house on the market (although he took it off again) and sold most of his rock and roll treasures for £2.5 million. At one point Elton looked grim enough for

two journalists to sit up all night writing a four-page obituary. Looking at him now - on the eve of his

42nd birthday - it's clear his problems are over. All the old wit and sparkle that made him as much a British institution as the Queen Mother, is back. Barely able to keep still for a second, he fired out his famous one-liners. Who are you working with at the moment?

"I was considering contacting Elvis." On the possibility of playing the lead in a Broadway musical he has written about vampires, he quips: "Me? Whoever heard of a fat

Elton has written the musical based on a trilogy of books by American authoress Anne

Rice, called Interview With A Vampire.
"It's a fantastic book," he enthuses. "You want to be a vampire yourself at the end of it."

Not that there is much danger of that. Elton's too busy sweating blood over his 120date world tour. His travels will take in Tasmania, the

Philippines, Argentina and Uruguay, reaching Britain and Eire in May. But there is no way I'm quitting Britain.

Staying here was the best decision I ever made." he says.

While he is away Elton has arranged to give his mansion at Old Windsor, Berkshire a £i million face-lift.

'After 15 years it needs tarting up. There will be armchairs and fireplaces, so people can sit down instead of resting on top of vases," he

Elton obviously thrives on all this activity and excitement. "I have no worries in my life and Γ m probably the happiest Γ ve been for a

"Over the last couple of years there's been a lot of hassle and I was really down in the dumps, but I also learned that I have a great

many friends.

"A lot of people wrote me really sweet letters, while I just stayed indoors and sulked.

"Then one day I woke up and decided to get off my backside and go back to work. I bear no grudges now."

It was the right decision, because now Elton is so self-confident that he is flaunting his rediscovered happiness, with a new album called Sleeping With The Past.

"Well why not? I'm determined none of those old stories will ever get to me again," he says referring to the sordid tales of rent boys

and homosexuality. A single called Through The Storm, a duet with soul queen Aretha Franklin, will also be

released in a fortnight. Apart from throwing himself into his work,

Elton is looking after his health as well. He claims to have lost a couple of stone and has a keep-fit instructor accompanying him on the tour, to force him to run on what he

Patting his rounded tum, he confesses: "I'm eating as much as ever, but at least I am Elton has battled against the bulge all his

life, but shrugs it off: "It's not as I'm a Jagger "I don't have to get really physical. I can just sit behind my piano and pretend I am Ray

In fact Elton sits behind his piano for most of his two-hour show.

All the greats are there. Saturday Night, Your Song, Daniel, Candle In The Wind, Kiss The Bride, Nikita, Song For Guy.

See the show and you're reminded why Elton is still one of Britain's best song-writers.



Elton John: still going strong

I'M PONDERING ANOTHER OF

upe's oreat mysteries

Madonna toppled

LONDON (AP): Eternal Flames by Bangles shot up to the top of the British pop singles record chart this week, knocking Madonna's Like A Prayer into fifth spot after four weeks at

number one. If You Dou't Know Me By Now by Simply Red came from off the charts into second place, followed by Paula Abdul's Straight Up and Kon Kan's I Beg Your

Pardon in third and fourth. Also appearing in the top 10 for the first time this week are When Love Comes To Town by U2 and B.B. King and Baby I Don't Care by Transvision

This week's Top 10 singles, as listed by our Price Music Ltd., the national music retail chain, with last week's placings in parenth-

Top Ten UK

1.(5) Eternal Flame — Bangles (CBS). 2. (—) If You Don't Know Me By Now - Simply Red (Elek-

(2) Straight Up - Paula Abdul (Siren).
4. (6) I Beg Your Pardon —
Kon Kan (Atlantic).

5. (1) Like A Prayer — Madonna (Sire). 6. (3) Keep on Movin' — Soul II Soul and Caron Wheeler (10

Records). 7. (—) When Love Comes To Town — U2 and B.B. King (Island)

8. (26) Baby I Don't Care -Transvision Vamp (MCA). 9. (4) This Time I Know It's For Real - Donna Summer

(Warner Bros). 10. (8) Paradise City - Guns n' Roses (Geffen).

And in New York She Drives Me Crazy took the fine young Cannibals to the top of the pop singles record charts in the United States. The hit disc jumped from fourth place a week

The Look by Roxette stayed on for the second week in a row in second position on the Cash Box magazine chart. Madonna hopped up two notches to third spot with Like A Prayer.

Last week's number one hit, Girl You Know It's True by Milli Vanilli, slipped to fourth. Eternal Flame by the Bangles cooled to fifth place, down from third a

Soaring fast up the top 10 list

Jovi, up from 17th to 7th.

As for the country-and-western singles, Shenandoah took over the number one slot on the Cash Box magazine chart with The Church On Cumberland Road Hank Williams Jr., in a duct with his father Hank Williams Sr., hopped into second place with There's A Tear In My Beer. Billy Joe Royal was third with Tell It Like It is.

Top Ten US

The Top 10 pop singles, as rated by Cash Box magazine, with last week's positions in brackets: 1 (4) She Drives Me Crazy Fine Young Cannibals (IRS).

2. (2) The Look — Roxette

(EMI). 3. (S) Like a Prayer Madonna (Sire-Warner Broth-

ers).
4. (1) Girl You Know It's True - Milli Vanilli (Arista).
5. (3) Eternal Flame Bangles (Columbia).

6. (6) Stand - R.E.M. (Warner Brothers).
7. (17) I'll Be There For You -Bon Jovi (Mercury-Polygram). 8. (11) Superwoman — Karyn

White (Warner Brothers). 9. (7) My Heart Can't Tell You No - Rod Stewart (Warner Brothers).

10. (12) Heaven Help Me — Deon Estus and George Michael (Mica-Polydor). The Top 10 country-western singles, as rated by Cash Box magazine, with last week's posi-

tions in brackets: 1. (5) The Church On Cumberland Road - Shenandoah (Columbia).

2. (3) There's a Tear in My Beer — Hank Williams Jr. (duet with Hank Williams Sr). (Warner Brothers-Curb).

3. (7) Tell It Like It Is -- Billy Joe Royal (Atlantic America). 4. (1) I'm No Stranger To The Rain — Keith Whitley (RCA). 5. (2) Down That Road Tonight - Nitty Gritty Dirt Band (Warner Brothers).

6. (10) Don't Toss Us Away --Patty Loveless (MCA). 7. (11) Hey Bobby

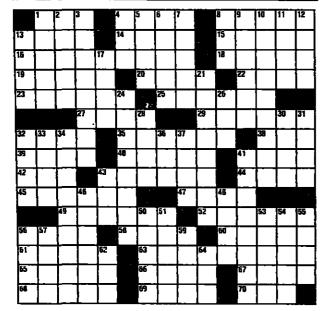
8. (4) Baby's Gotten Good At Goodbye — George Strait (MCA). 9. (6) Who You Gonna Blame It On This Time - Vern Gosdin

(Columbia). 10. (8) Heartbreak Hill -Emmylou Harris (Reprise).

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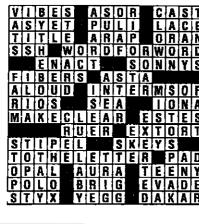
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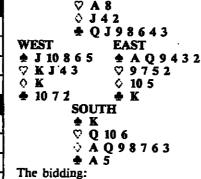
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ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE



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Opening lead: Jack of 4 Here's an unusual hand from a team match at the recent Fall North American Championships, held in Nashville. At the table where North-South played in five diamonds, the contract was defeated one trick. At the other table, a dia-

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mond slam was bid and made. East's two-spade opening was weak, showing a six-card suit and a was all completely natural, although rather aggressive.

At both tables the opening lead was the jack of spades, and East's ace dropped the king. Both defenders found the heart shift, won by the ace in dummy. The declarer who was only in game tried the diamond finesse. When that lost, West cashed a heart for down one.

At the other table the contract clubs onside if he was going to land have the king of diamonds as well-

At trick three, therefore, declarer led a diamond to his ace. When that fetched the king, declarer got back to dummy by leading a middle trump to the jack for the club finesse. A club ruff established that suit, and the preciously preserved three of trumps, overtaken with the four, was the entry to run the board's winners.

GOREN BRIDGE THE WIZARD OF ID

BY CHARLES GOREN AND OMAR SHARIF

hand not strong enough for an

was six diamonds, reached on the auction above. After winning the second trick on the table with the ace of hearts, declarer realized that he would have to find the king of his slam. Therefore, East could not with ace-queen of spades and two kings, he would have opened one spade.



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WHY DOBSN'T U FOLLOW Q IN THE ALPHABET?

YOUR STARS



Aries (March 20 - April 18)

You will be tempted to do too much and could well end up exhausting yourself. You should avoid acting on impulse. Make sure you do not spend any more than you can afford. Be hopeful.



You should avoid depending too much upon others. Take care not to eat more than you need to maintain your weight. Refrain from speeding or any form of reckless driving. Be more trustworthy.

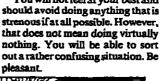


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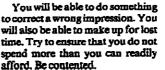
A short time spent tidying up will prevent your getting into a big mess. You must be careful lest you give away something told to you in confidence. Do all you can to avoid giving offence. Be fair.



Cancer (June 21 - July 21) You will not feel at your best and







Virgo (Aug 22 - Sept 21)

not do anything that would be bad

for your health. And do not believe

in fancy medicines, nothing can

replace a balanced diet. Have a lilt-

tle more faith in yourself. Be con-

tented.



down. Do not criticise others unless absolutely necessary. Be cordial.

Scorpio (Oct 23 - Nov. 21)

Make sure you get all the rest you

need without indulging in laziness.

Not everything will be to your lik-

ing, but do not let that get you

Libra (Sept 22 - Oct. 22)

factors. Be generous.

Try to be a little more thorough

it takes a little longer but saves

time in the end. However, do not

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trivialities. Do not dwell on gloomy

thoughts - think of the positive



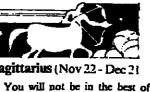
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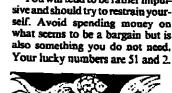
to annoy others. You should have a

little more faith in yourself. Make

sure you resist a temptation to

spend recklessly. Be moderate.





Be patient.



Capricorn Dec 22 - Jan 19)

You will have plenty of energy

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to good use too. Avoid taking any

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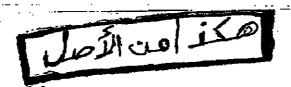
your luckier days. Do not delay

replying to letters and paying bills.

Aquarius (Jan 20 - Feb. 18)

You will tend to be rather impul-

You will be able to think a little more constructively. Make sure you do not take too much for granted just now. Do not leave until later what you know should be done without delay. Be reasonable.



Ad men no longer call the shots

Beauty industry listening to women

By Penny Rich

EVER since Cleopatra bathed in asses' milk, the quest for beauty has been an unrelenting feminine pastime .

in the Seventies, manufacturers told women the answer came from the kitchen sink: we applied lumps of oatmeal to the face, beer shampoo to the hair, and algae, avocado and apricot oil everywhere else.

In the Eighties we've turned to the testtube: embryonic cells for eternal youth, chemistry-set products that mix and fizz, and everything comes with clastin, collagen, mucopolysaccharides, or other such pseudo-scientific nonsense.

It was only last year that we were told, for instance, that there should be three steps to good hair care (shampoo, conditioner and finishing rinse, to seal hair strands and add shine); that our lips look better with non-smudging compacts of powder colour, rather than the conventional soft, tubular lipstick; that little behics like to wear perfume land now have babies like to wear perfume (and now have two of their own to choose from); and that not only do our faces deserve an anti-wrinkle potion — but we ought to have another one just to dab on around our eyes.

But all this is about to change. For the first time it looks as if we are going to be telling them which beauty products we need. The seeds of social awareness sown 20 years ago have grown up into a powerful lobby of consumers who care about the

And the industry is listening. Clairol have just launched a major, advertising campaign. It shows a bottle (not can) of hairspray, with an arrow pointing to the nozzle and the message: "The biggest hole we make ... Ozone-friendly Finale. A kinder way to hold our hair all day."

Manufacturers are spending huge sums to replace harmful CFC propellants in their aerosols with safer ones. And since

For the first time, it looks as if consumers will be telling manufacturers which beauty products they want. The seeds of social awareness sown 20 years ago have grown up into a powerful lobby of consumers who care about the environment

most businesses are ruled by economics, the conclusion is that it's not just because suddenly they care, it's because they think

we care and will stop buying.

The success of The Body Shop, created and run by Anita Roddick, has shown the rest of the cosmetics industry exactly how

much consumers do care.

Last year it had a £46 million turnover from 400 shops world-wide, and is increasing sales by 60 per cent a year.

It has never advertised, bases all its

products on traditional remedies from all over the world, and its concern is not just to protect the environment, but to preserve and enhance it

According to Anita Roddick, the main-stream cosmetics industry has sold itself down the river. "They are so extravagant with the scientific claims they make for their products," she says, "that they have confused the consumer.

They promise miracle that don't hap-pen. And in her heart of hearts every woman knows that no cream will wipe away signs of grief, or stress, or wrinkles caused by the sun.

"Beauty products make you look fan-tastic and feel fantastic, and women will always buy them. But they are becoming

more discerning in what they buy.

The Body Shop wouldn't survive, let alone thrive, if women didn't now feel that no living animal should suffer for vanity. And that the environment shouldn't suffer for something as irrelevant as a pot of

Roddick not only believes in protecting mother nature, but bases her business on

defending it. Her latest project is a rain-

forest range of products, using flora native

to South America as the main ingredients.

the inhabitants not to clear vast acres of

rainforest (to plant grass, to grow beef, to make hamburgers). The native Indians will be well-paid to hand-pick raw ingredients from the forest for her, instead.

She is currently raising money for a team

of researchers at Westminster Hospital in

London, where they have managed to

grow human skin in laboratory condi-

"This is the most exciting research project in the UK," she says. "If they succeed, we'll be able to test raw

ingredients for the cosmetic and phar-

maceutical industries straight on to manufactured human skin samples. All the big cosmetic companies who say they don't like animal testing should put their money

There is one other area where the cos-

metics industry must change radically in

the next decade - and, again, it is con-

Barbara Attenborough, who as Creative Adviser to Boots is responsible for making its No 7 range the overall best-

seller in the UK, says this must affect the

which leads the market, is declining due to

lack of teenagers — it will be down 25 per cent by 1992," she says, "Last September we launched '2,000' — a range that is

specifically formulated for older skins -

and within two months it claimed 0.5 per

Already our younger Boots 17 range,

type of products companies create.

where their mouths are."

This is a practical way of encouraging

care market."

And this area of the market is set to grow and grow. The over-45s have a large disposable income to play with, and not only are they richer, but they have more time to shop and spend.

cent of the total colour cosmetic and skin-

"People in their forties now," says Attenborough, who will never want to be seen looking awful, or old and frumpy. Their mothers used less makeup and dres-sed more soberly beyond a certain age, but that is a thing of the past.

Joan Collins and Raquel Welch are prime examples of present, and future, role models. But the male-dominated advertis-

ing business has been slow to adapt to this. According to Attenborough, the Americans are the first to wake up to the fact that they are selling to older women who don't want to turn the clock back.
"The ad-image of young, female models will be totally incongruous," she says.
"For the first time, the beauty business is going to have to let a few of the wrinkles

Until now, cosmetics advertising has been blatantly seductive. The sexual innuendo of "Things happen after a Badedas bath" made it a best-seller. Almost every perfume ad has a reference to

Paris or a few words in French.

Nubile, naked, tangled bodies — like Calvin Klein's images for his Obsession range — imply that we could have a better physique (and sex life) from a bottle. And a face as smooth as a baby's bottom tells us that a product "can intercept new signs of visible ageing" (and not that it does get rid of old wrinkles).

But nobody make us spend £40 on a face cream rather than £4. It is our choice. The very fact that from now on we want to know what goes into a product, how it is made and why we really need it, means that the Nineties will be a decade where true beauty comes into its own.



Beauty products make you look good and women will always buy them, but they are becoming more discerning about what they buy.

Bring out your curlers, pink hair nets and lacquer

Bouffants set to bounce back again

By Rick van Sant

TWENTY years after women liberated themselves from the weekly visit to the hairdressers — courtesy of Vidal Sassoon and his cut-andblow dry - a whispering campaign has begun to woo us back.

The hairdressing grapevine is buzzing with claims that our favourite labour-saving hairstyles, the scalp-hugging, blowdried bob and the pre-Raphaelite wash-and-leave perm are finally on their way out.

The Nineties, say the hair gurus, will see the return of the more formal bouffant look, last seen in the early Sixties, and modelled to great effect by the girls in the current hit film Scandal.

It is a look, for those of you

The nineties, say

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who do not remember, created with setting lotion, rollers, pink hairness, and head-boiling dryers, and held fast by lashings

It took ages to achieve and in wet or windy weather, creating a fashion for feather-light chiffon headscarves (worn with great elan by Brigitte Bardot) and those pleated plastic rain hats now found only on pensioners' outings or in crackers. It also meant sleeping in curlers.

sixties and modelled to great effect in Scandal. The man behind the whispers is a hairdresser called John Frieda. He is so convinced that women are about to enter what he calls "new era of dressed hair" that next month he is bringing out a book telling hairdressers lack the skill to do an old-fashioned shampoo and set or

put long hair. He is not alone. Hazel Collins, a former model who runs a salon called Ellishelen in Knightsbridge London WI also believes dressed hair with a bit of height is on its way back, at least for evening. "For daytime, our motto is still in the shower and out the door." But we believe that night time is dressing up time and that includes

hair," says Collins. No matter how much hairdressers dream of our resuming the once-

a-week appointment, the new prophecies have been received within

the profession with a certain amount of doubt.

It has been pointed out to Frieda that, although today's women have more money to spend, they have less time than their mothers in which to spend it and will not want to boil under dryers for an hour at a time. So when I went to see him, as a guinea pig, he was ready for my first objection - - that the new look took too long.

Frieda stresses that what is about to hit us is not a remembrance of things past.

things past.

Setting lotion, which in my day looked like green pond slime and caused dandruff, is now "thickening lotion", is colourless and goes on at the roots only. Pin curls, which once lay down snug under their hairnet, now stand up. Lacquer has become ozonefriendly and is called hairspray.

Complicated

It looked immensely complicated to me, taking tiny sections of hair, first spraying them with "thickening lotion" then vertically blow-drying the roots and finally putting in stand-up pin curls which left the ends of the hair free.



Mandy Rice-Davies in

Sixties style: Bridget Fonda as Scandal and Sophia Loren (right)

But it worked. After a good dose of lacquer - the smell of which took me straight back to those curtained cubicles of yesteryear - 1 had a bouffant hair-do in half the time it took to have a shampoo and

Frieda, who has the kind of persuasive manner coupled with toffeeeyed, boyish good looks that could make Joan of Arc recant, brushed aside my protestations. "OK, so it takes a bit of time. But isn't it worth it to look good?" Of course it is, but did I? I found the fullness, the roundness, odd -- ageing. My husband, uncompromising, branded

my new look tarty.

But, of course, it always was. We had furious debates about it at school. There were those who thought it common to backcomb your hair. Those who did included the newsreader, Julia Somerville, who has since changed her mind and now sports quite a full style. And there were the rest of us who had noticed that girls who backcombed, using those special combs with bobbles halfway down each tooth, seemed to





Eighties' style: British newsreader Julia Somerville (left) and a tashion model (right)

INJURY TO SPLEEN DOESN'T FAMILY DOCTOR By DR ALLAN BRUCKHEIM

QUESTION: Another player on my high school hockey team suffered an injury to his spheen, but his doctor repaired it surgically. My father says that all injured spleens should be removed. Is he right? Is it always

ANSWER: Fathers like the reputation of always being right, but this time medical practice has moved beyond Dad's knowledge. Splenectomy (the operation to remove the spicen) was once done routinely after an injury to the upper left quadrant of the abdomen where the spleen is located. Because doctors did not know what if any function was performed by the spleen, they believed it was not needed.

That belief was substantiated by the fact that the death rate from injury to the spleen was 90 to 100 per cent before 1900, and before surgical removal of the spiech was neture surgical removal of the spiech was used as treatment. Now, however, doctors understand that the spiech plays an important role in preventing infection. In fact, some studies have shown that the death rate due to infection is 58 times greater than the death remained population in patients who have had normal population in patients who have had their spleen removed after injury. (Postoperative infection only occurs in 0.5 to 1 per

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cent of these patients though).

Because of the new understanding of the spleen's function, today's treatment is more conservative when a patient has received a possible injury to the spleen. A direct blow necessary to remove the spleen after an to the abdomen, a fall and car accidents are common causes of damage to the spleen. Children especially are at risk; for them the spleen is the most commonly injured abdominal organ. Although in some cases, the extent of injury will make removal of the spleen necessary, physicians often try to

repair the organ surgically, or they may closely observe the patient and let the body heal itself. OUESTION: My fingers get numb and cold, particularly in my right (working) hand. My wife believes she has read about such a condition. Can banging your hand against something cause a disease called

ANSWER: Using your hand for a ham-mer isn't a good idea. Persons who use their hands repeatedly to strike, push or twist hard objects are running the risk of developing a condition that is similar to Raynaud's, called "hypothenar hammer syndrome."

Raynud's is a condition where the arteries

reduced blood supply in the fingers. This condition is painful and can result in damage to the tissue. It is seen most often in young women, and the spasms are often triggered by exposure to cold and emotional upset. Raynaud's Disease generally affects

both hands equally.

True Raynaud's is not caused by striking the hand against a hard object. However, a condition with symptoms like Raynaud's can be caused in this manner. This situation is most often seen in men who work with their hands, and its onset may be gradual. Angiography, or a special X-ray of the arteries of the hand, is helpful in diagnosing the condition. Angiography may show an obstruction of the ulnar artery, which supplies blood to the fingers.

Treatment by a surgeon who specializes in vascular disorders of the hand may be necessary, if non-surgical methods fail to break up the obstruction. Treatment helps the condition, but some permanent damage may remain. By the way, did you know that nicotine also constricts the arteries? If you are a smoker, your first step to getting your circulation back is to throw those cigarettes

in the hands contract (spasm), resulting in a 1989 TRIBUNE MEDIA SERVICES, INC.

Feminist author knocks female back-biting

Militants approve

By Paul Luke

TORONTO, (Reuter): Canadian author Margaret Atwood risked outraging her devoted feminist following by portraying young women as vicious and manipulative in her latest novel Cat's Eye.

But the book, released in Britain in January and in the United States in February, has so far won approval from even her most militant feminist readers, Atwood, 49, said in a recent interview.

Women see in the novel the scheming and back-biting that marked

the female relationships of their own early years, she said "If we pretend that there are no power plays among women, we're

living in a fool's paradise," Atwood said. You may ask yourself why there isn't a women's movement that has 95 per cent membership and, I think, one of the reasons is that it takes

people quite a lot of time to get over the distrust that they've built up towards one another in childhood." Cat's Eye, Atwood's seventh novel, examines the bleak inner life of Elaine Risley, a middle-aged Vancouver painter who returns to her hometown of Toronto for a retrospective of her work.

Anguished

Elaine paces the city and recalls her anguished childhood, brooding over Cordelia, a girl who tormented her by threatening to suspend her friendship.

As a child, Elaine carries her favourite cat's eye marble to give her

Cat's Eye is a sharp departure from The Handmaid's Tale, the 1985 novel that won Atwood her greatest international commercial and critical success.

In The Handmaid's Tale Atwood created a futuristic totalitarian society set in a nuclear wasteland once known as Boston. Atwood is acting as consultant for a film version of The Handmaid's Tale, being shot in North Carolina.

Directed by Germany's Volker Schlondorff from a screenplay by

US women artists come into their own

Exhibit highlights breakthrough

By Rick Van Sant

CINCINNATI, (UPI): The 1970's and early '80s may be remembered as a critical period for contemporary American women artists who, however quietly, led the processional that brought them to prominence in the male-dominated art world.

last week held the premiere showing of "Making their mark: women artists move into the mainstream, 1970-1985," an exhibition of 162 works by 54 women painters, sculptors and photographers.
"This is the first exhibition

The Cincinnati Art Museum

that focuses on the breakthrough period of 1970 to 1985 for women artists," said curator Randy Rosen, "This was the first time we got a sense that stereotypes held for centuries had started to change.

"Until just a few years ago, art books described Western art without mentioning a single woman. Recognition of women's influence in art was not very obvious before 1970." Rosen said it hadn't dawned on her that women artists had broken through male domination of art until a few years ago when she was asked to make suggestions for a general art show and about half the pieces

she picked had been done by

"Although there have

women.

always been exceptional women artists, it was for the first time between 1970 and 1985 that women exerted a widespread influence on mainstream art," she said. "This exhibition focuses on this turning point and on many of the artists who were instrumental in bringing it about."

Rosen said the 1970-1985 period signalled a shift for women artists from a marginal role to one of participation and influence in contemporary American art.

British playwright Harold Pinter, the movie stars Robert Duvall, Faye Dunaway and Elizabeth McGovern. Atwood said that since Cat's Eye focuses on universal human

concerns, its Canadian setting, even if unfamiliar, won't deter foreign

"What makes Faulkner a writer of international stature is not the fact that he is writing about Oxford, Mississippi, but what he did with that," she said.

Like her character Elaine Risley, Atwood is sharply critical of Toronto, citing mounting traffic and pollution problems. Had she not been promoting 'Cat's Eye' late last year, Atwood said,

she might have fought for change by entering politics. "I seriously considered running for mayor. And if nobody else does it next time, I'll do it," she said. While foreign readers may be unfamiliar with Canada's cities,

Atwood said, Canadian writers such as Robertson Davies, Alice Munro and Margaret Laurence command growing international res-Only 25 years ago, she said, the world's indifference to Canada's

writers mirrored Canadians' ignorance of a home-grown literature that wasn't even taught in school. *Canadian writers are just out there competing on the shelves with

other people and doing pretty well at it," she said. "It's reflected in the prices that international publishers are willing to pay for their books." Atwood said her 20 volumes of poetry, fiction and non-fiction have been translated into 20 languages, including Japanese, Russian and

Icelandic,
"Almost nobody ever gets translated into Icelandic," she said with a

laugh.

Canada's unique culture and past have generated a relatively large number of women writers, Atwood said. As Canada was until fairly recently a frontier society in which men

were struggling to survive, the arts were left to women, Atwood



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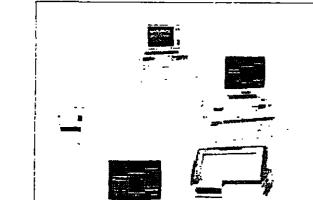
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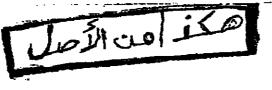
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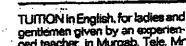
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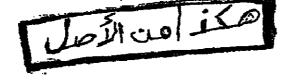
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رجيس الراس فرن كمات كدروهي كرواوروكان

ك أمك يرده الكادياجا أب ان وتولى بسول كاوول اور

ک مصلی در جادیا ہوتا ہے۔ ان دی میں سے دول ہول ریاست میرون ہورہائے گر ہم اس ایسالگائے کہ مارا شر لاہور سے بابرون ہورہائے گر بسی اور ٹویدنیں معمول کے مطابق می مسافروں کو لے کر جاتی ہیں بسول کے افوان اور

بلیث قارم عی اتن بعیر بعادروده خورول کے باعث بوتی ہے

جس باس روزہ کھول کے کھانے کو کچھ نہ ہو

روزه اگر ند کھاے تو تا چار کیا کرے

شرقا كے لئے الدور كے بزے موشول مل اللي مخوائش موتى

كبتال

براً کی عمل محل پزے جمال درجوں مقبالی اور معرفی محانی قیام بذم

ين الم مبادي عن صف شب مع بحد كي من بين بالنار ك منا

رقا أن ورالك من فاخر من كا تلك وسالم يكيد

لنحافج بالمرسب عازمنى كابدير كالتلب اواني بمرابسك

نن رو م کی دی کریسائیوں پر کولسبندی کا تقام لیے کے التح میدان

وفياتس شراا كاسفادت فانول كوحمله كانتكاف عايد أيتكا كول بدي اور

درد: لیش ال کاظف کے سب زخیول کو فرائسی ادادی جدز

ب كدو و إنسيسي جمازول وجواراوك ربات ن ترقيب

بيطني الو ماموت على الراداد بوت بالوزت وي بيت ليفيت زوا التكام بدر كاون والدين حروي باستاني ال

جمد أو حمرب ، فرمزى تيكي زياد وخاص الربي اليو وال كان ا

کی ۱۸۴ افراد بلاک اور ۱۵۰ سے زائر زخی ہو چکے ہیں ہونیسائل

جن كيارك عن السن كاقا

بغيى :ــ

र्वेक स्टेक्ट्रपुर स्टान्स अध्यक्ष

محرى وافطاري كيا وكامات

م اراده ی نیت کماا بات-

سحرى كماناست رسيل سلى الديليد وملم بادر احث

ركت وتواب ب - الركمان كالناشائي د بري بى محى

سنت مجير كر ضرور كماني وات وإب أيك تموت إنى والك

سمجور کاوانای سی۔ ضف شب عددے تا صادق س

ملدروزور كيني سيت يوكمانا تعاليبات كادوم كاي

بدردورس المستحصادة على النرى دات عصيص المنازيادة المردوك إلى المردوك المردوك المنازيادة المناسب

محری مے قارمے ، کرروز و کی سیندل سے کر کیا معرور تی

ہر رومی میں سامب۔ حضور اگر م صلی اللہ علیہ وسلم نے محری کھانے والوں کے

بار على ارشاد قرايات الشقالي ادراس كفرف تحري

افطاري_ فريب أفآب كيعد فررا نظاري كين وابنيه

افطارين دير كرناجك خوب أفآب كالعين بحيء ويادوتو

مروه ہے۔ غروب آفاب کے یقین پرانطاری کرنامسنون

ے۔ خمورے اظاری کرناستین عمل ہے۔ رسل اکرم صلی اللہ علیہ وسلم محمورے اختاری قبایا کرتے ہے۔ اگر

افطار بإرثى منسر أكرم سلى الفسليه وسلم كارشادب

جو محص سی روزے دار کاروزہ اخطار کرائے قاس کے لئے

منابول كم معاف بوف اور آك س فلامي كاسب بوكا

اور روزه وار كوافطار كرائستداس كالواب كي الند (يعنى

روزه) کا قالب اظار کرائے والے کو عاصل ہو گااور اس

ردنه) کا واب افطار کرائے والے کو جا کی جو کا اور اس روزے دار کے قاب ہے بھی چھ کم نمیں کیاجات گا۔ صحابہ کرام نے عرض کی پارسول اللہ صلی اللہ علیہ وسلم! ہم میں سے ہر شخص تو آتی و سحت شمیں رکھتا کہ روزہ وار کو افطار کرائے تو آپ صلی اللہ علیہ وسلم نے قربایا کہ " بہت بھر کلائے مرصوف شمیں ہے قواب قواف تعالی جل شانہ 'ایک

تحجورت كوني اخفار كراوس يأليك تعونث ياني باادساس بر

بمي توكيب مطافهات بين" المديث" ليك اور عدت عن

رسيل أكرم ملى الله عليه وملم كالرشاد مسكراس مينين من

رس کارز برهاد یا جا آید به میداوگول ک ماتی عدواری کرف کامینت به جوهن اسمينسان عدم کارچه باکرد دافترقالي اس فنس کی منفرت فرادسیة

غرضيكه ماه صيام رمضان المبادك وتنون مغف واور

يركن كالمسيشب بش الله يأك عام اور معمولي تنكى يرجى منفرت فرائے میں بشر فیکہ صوم و صلواۃ کی یا بندی کے ساتھ ہیں

كويت ميس يأكستاني ماهرين كي عالمي تث

كاسالانه اجتاع

كوست عمرايول (عرب قائدزديد) بالتلك أيرو ليريشود لبرق بي الاقاى علم الاستكل بيرى دش آف باكتاق برومشنغ ايتريزنسسين في كمنت عمل ميرالغري

مطالت کے دوران مال اپنا سالانہ ابھی منعقد کرے کی وائٹی

اس على أنب أب شج على عالى شب ك حال بالسالي ما يون

الشاعظرت طلب كي جائد

كى اور چنى ساخلاى كراب وكولى كرابت مسات-

كمان والول يراجي وتمتس ازل فرمات مي

ہے۔ نیت کے ارب شی زبان سے اظمار لازی شیر مطله وال

مح كروكرى من مترجع بوست تفايك فير واو ع مثوره كيا

" عملاہور جارہاہوں ' مجھےدو پڑارروپے ' رکٹی ہوشاک

حان ماحب بريتان ربنے مك الهود ياد آيا تو آنگيس

فان ماحب!اب آپ عارے بن المور جائے كاخيال

محرالهود كاخبال ان كرول ك شيس لكل سكاتفالك

من فكل كرانمول فريرهال الناوين دوده كرا بادر

اوگ دوزے دوزے تواب صاحب کے یاس مگاور تایا

خان ساحب ديوات بو كيوس النس باتده كرلامود مينيا

اس وقت الازمول في خان ساحب كوز تجرول س جكر

آے سورن وُهل چا تواجب دربار کی ادی رفتروں میں

ا جکڑے موسیقار کو لے کر الاجور کی حدود عی داخل جولی او

انمول فے شالا ماراغ کے آم کے ور حق کود کمے کر کما۔

ال مستكلول كي ضرورت تسي-

بَرُ كُرُ تَعَابِ كَي دو كان ير بيني اور كين الكه" _

"ليك سير نفه كأكو شهة معادد

لي الك والف كار الاقاس م كما

" بعائيون! أب سنكل كمول ود ميرا لابور آكيا إب

چەمىرى ئى كوخال مادىسىنى شكر كاجدە كيادد ماد

كوشت كرده رنك كل مح الد قلير في بدموا

"کل چے بے بعالی وروازے آؤں گا' مری بائے

اور دولی سس چاہئے

دلست نکال دیں

التدي مسري

جروان الدرحم فراف والل تم بسرحال اس كتاب كومضوطي ہے تھاے رہوجو وحی کے دراجہ سے تسارے ہاس تبيحي من بين يقيناتم سيدهدوا يتغير جو-



حديث نبوي

معنرت ابو ہریرہ ^ہ بیان کرتے ہیں کہ مجھے ميرك محبوب في تمن باقول كي وصيت فيالي تى يىل ان ياتول كومرية دم تك نه جموزوں

۱) برمینے تمن روزے رکھنا۔ ۲) جاشت کی تمازاواكرنا- ۴)اوروتر مزه كرسونا_



حی*شگاریاں* ہی شعلوں میں تبديل ہوجائی ہیں۔

چماؤں کا ایما قط برا اس برس که دحوب ہر سوکھتے تجر کے لئے سائیاں ہوئی روزير آعا)

الله المحادل

١٩٨٩ ، بادشاه فرائس لوئس (جوره) نے البين كے فلاف اعلان جنگ كرويا_ ١٨٥٢ مسيرطانيه وأنس اور آسريات ترکی کی آزادی اور یجتی کی ضانت دی۔ ۱۸۸۷ فى بىروماتىدىش كسانول مى نىدچىنى تھیلنی شروع ہو گئی۔ ١٩٢٣ كِنْتُواكُوْاكُوْلِيُدِركُ بِيْتُكُ نِي انسولین ایجاد کی جو که ذیابطس کی عمومی دوا

١٩٢٤٠ بِحَامَكُ كَانَى شبِكَ نَـ مْانْكُنْگ (يَطِينَ) مِنْ طَوْمْتِ بِتَالَى _ ۱۹۳۳ نیسہ جایاتی توپخانے نے جنگ عظیم دوم میں ظیائن می امری بوزیشنوں پر گول ا 194ء مرى انكاكي حكومت في شالي كوريا

کے سفارت کاروں کو دہشت پہندوں کی مدد كالزام بن ملك عد تكال ديا_ الما ١٩٤٥ مسرم من افريقه ك ملك المعدين فیج نے صدر حمانی وائروکی عکومت کا تختہ

۱۹۸۲ءمعرض صدراتور سادات کے قتل میں ماخوذ پانچ بنیاد پرستوں کو موت کی سزا

\$\$ UZ GAR

کوئی دینار کے مقابلے میں غیر مکی كرىسيول كى قيمت حسب ذيل دى ـ یا کستانی رویے (نی بزار) ۵۵۰ - ۱۴ بحارتی روی (فی برار) ۱۸-۱۸ مرتی دینار (تی برار) ۹۳۰ – ۲۵۵ (قيرار) ١١١ - ٠

فرانسیی فرانک (نی بزار) ۸۳۰ ۳۵ (في برار) ۱۹۰۰ – ۲۹۰ يرطانوي ياؤنذ (تي بزار) ۲۶۰ – ۱۹۳ – ۱۹۳ يح من ارك (في بزار) ١٥٥٠ - ١٥٢ المراتدريم (فيبزار) ١٠٠ - ٢٩

(فيتزار) ۲۱۰–۲۵۲ (فیزار) ۱۹۲ – ۲ جا پالی مین موس فرانك (فيزار) ۱۲۵۰ - ۱۲۵

(فيتزار) ۲۸۰ (م سعودي ريال قطري ريال (ني برار) ۸۳۰ – ۲۹

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٠٠- ٤ افتتاحي أعلان ١٠- ٤ تلاوت قر أن

کریم ۱۰ ۵ بهترین قبل ۱۷ ۵ پروگرام کا ظامد عارے گانے -۳۰ عامیاروں کے تراشے ۲۰۰ م جائزہ ۲۰۰ م خرس ۱۵ ۸ آج کا تھب ۲۰۔ ۸ گانے ۲۵۔ ۸ مرلی سيكين ١٩٠٠ ٨ دهنك ٥٠٠ ١١ فتام

Cali 19an

لاهريش كمالالا هويس إهر أسكت جرحم أقدهوتى هيء تمازلان كارائ تحدرت توكرى يتنوزوى ولاهور تهرين يبيوثرا باغول كاشراا مورجس طرت عاماديس برروز باعلى باكستان مين و كازيال جيح ربيم بين ان من يريكين لكتابعول د لی در وازه سے پیدل ی نیسال وروازه میشخ والی ایک مِلْ مدر کاریال اور پراول کے وجویں کی دویس سے قدر لی جات بل كادبب كرياندهاد منددوث كاثيال دور سن اور صاف ماحول کے ولدادہ اس کا تصبر کرتے کرتے آت موز سأمكل بإسائيل سواد كود يحف كبادجود وك ميس معم عبرت منف مور كرف كلي تووبال جوك مي كفري سكتي كرشتر دوذ البورك فواح ش ويكنون كالأي كيابر ف يافق بريث كر موف بكل يخوا ليك جور فار ويكن تحر دعم ك و دورك آن ويكن كافرائير النس بنار بورے میں دیمات ہے شہوں میں ترف مگونت کرنے واليل اور روز کار ك تت ك مدائع بيرا بوك كي وجدت

" ئي بار " الى في واب ديا " على كوكى نئيد د کچه کردیک دیائے کے عبائے ایک سی کیٹرویا آجا کیا تھا۔ زبریا دعواں چھوٹی ان کالی بادی کے ہاتھوں سکولوں کو حرتك جانان 'اير وين تهات نال جعوث بولال 'عن من من كي البورى داربيات والدري المات جاف والع كمس طالب علم زياده موت كالشكار بوربي بالادر مانى جديدل عضوائ اب وسال الناوكل كادور دوروب عرصت الناوي مول و بكنون التيسيان اور كشادي اردد کے تیر گزار اور مغتی شاعرریاض خیر آبادی نے کما مس مفر تحيي جايا بات آفوالي كاثيال تحادي اتى

البوري بمسوريت يت أمعتفين كم كونش أمل شركت ك الخ باويستان يوزورش ك مابق جاشلر اور اردوارب ك معتبر عام يروفيس تبتي حسين أكواس كاعلم ميس عاكد لابدر ے واپس آناان کی قست میں نسی تھا کمونشن کی ساری تقریبات عمل دوئے کے بعد جب حدق دی دوام انگار اوراف ى كافي من اردوك يروفيس واكثر فارق عويزك ما تقوان كى كارش اغرور شجائ كم لشرد اندوع قا كلى فوك يس سين ت تقديم في من آ ك دويكرس في أوي جل عم جل عام داول عن دى وي من الل مي أم آكر جل بے۔ ان كرمائى دان طارق مورجو يملك ى جوس اور مرى بائے بكتے بي رمضان كردول من مى بكتے ناگیل سے معذور تھے اور خصوصی اور پرٹی بولی کالہ کا

ر میان ہونے۔ عب لیک کی تمین نے لبنان کے خوان سے حل علىددون كملفرابلى كاكام كزشة ومبرى تموع كالعا صلب كماب فعرى طور رياش كريامكن ضعى. فخضارا الاتمرن كماكدع بسالك كمنى ليرون كرحخارب فريتون أو خاکرات کی بیزم لانے اور خاکرات کے بیٹھے یا مجادوار کے شائج کا ان کے ماتھ زیر بحث لانے کی کوششیں جاری دیکھی۔

عارو کشی اور دو مری انتقزیس شجری پیائی۔ پسلانسٹ بارش کی دجہ

نست دابررت بي ادرا وعادت مستعين

س والمنتي تحقیقات جاري السال المراكد وبشت روستام عَلَو كُو آزاد كرانا جاج تصان كالقدام الي تعد تجاود جران كن قوا وہ چھلاوے کی طرب آئے اور ایت ماسی کو بھٹائے مے انسوز ے کما کہ مثلی کی تاکہ بندی کر دی منی ہے اور پولیس کے دیتے امترا يندول كو قاش كردي بي اوح ام تريي ليس دفام كاكمتب كر سیورٹی فیرسز نے خالفتان کمایزوز فیرس کے فود ساختہ جزار سكهدب وتلوجيكي كوايك مخت مقاسط سأبعد كوليال كربلاك ریا مسکوبلہ ہو تھی ہی وری ۔ ویا مسکوبلہ ہو شکو دکی اور بریانہ شن ایک سوست ذا کہ بشودی کو فئی کرے کا ازام عمل بدت سے بولیس کومطلب تمانور مکومت سے س كى زنده يام دو كر فرارى يراك الكدوي العام مقرد كر رخاتها بوليس منام سنه بنايا كدود فوك مديده ك علاسة بي محكي أو الخاش گرد به نصح که است میلی پارتی تمک کرد یادر پایس کی جوابی فازنگ بیم بازگ به کمیا میلی حکام نیتا یا که سیکیپ و عجو جملی در در بروند تر سیدا که روپ علی شامل قد

يدب على الفائ إدر بتصيارول كي تعداد من كي كرموا في مرسوع

کرتے رہے ہیں۔ اوح شستاروا ہی فیایاکہ مالا کھیں ان کے طلل اور میتال میں زیر علاج مگرٹری کے اکاوتخت میں جح

سعادت حرمان شرفين وعوت عمر جادقا فدانشاداته آواد

داع الخير فارى حفيظ الرحمن الانفدى وقديميط إمبودك بلرسيطوج كأدي

الدازوك مطابق الك ميل كوانروس آباد ياف العور ورواز مستطى آله ا" كالدر تك ركول يراتي كازيال دوزري بي السات ونيائ جديد ملول ك ترقي يافة علول كريكار وقوز وسيدجي المبارك ماكول ك زيرائن مات تق كرالبوري ك مغليد زیادہ یں کہ بچی اور : وزهی ے لئے مرک یار کرنا حکل دوراور ملكون كأزماني ماكون كوجول كاتبل كأنا كيسوين موريات ان تي رفار م اياني كاريول في وجدت رفاك ك

حادثول می مرنبوالول کی تعداد بھی دوزبروزین ہوری ہے

مع يل مراك " إلى "مرتك ماياكي

الموركى آبادي على موكنا ضاف موج البيتوان البركي بمتيوان

ك داوو من آت ك ما مث قاصل جي ووه ك من أيك

الناجديد ملول منته روز برصفوالي أريفك في مشكارت سك

يه يكوزياه عرص في بات تيم كدانهور كشش يدل

ه كرت ك عادى تقيا فباغوره مويام تك دويدل بي أيك

ے دوس بی جگر رواند دو جات عظم مختلف ما قبل میں آئ

جائے کے لئے واحد سواری آگا۔ تمی دوقیام یا تتان ف وقت

لوارى اور بعانى دروازه تح عنك ازه تك وزيد دوميل بور

الناكردو أن (مين مير) ليخ تيم الدمس راير بده

ار آنھ آئے (کیاں میے) ہوگیا اوراب اس فاصلے کے دو

ردب مقروين وكماجات وكرايدي بي بي سيدور

ي تك جوامناف مواب علايول كي تعداد اس س أس

ر باده برجی ہے اس نبی زیاد ور فقر کے ساتھ او کون میں

بيدل جلتے كى ماوت كم و منى ب- و بنالى كامعروف تام استاد

بالاجسية ليك روز محمر في شال ت جائي كر ثلا اور لوباري

وروازه كَ يِح كست بوكريا في والآلاب في جانب واله بواتو چوك عيم كزي ايك آخ واساب آواز الكافي

احتاد بالله في كول جواب وياق آتم والفي استاد

استاد بالاوبين وك كياوراك بيرزين يرمار كربولا

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میں لگتا ہے کہ جایاتی کار اور موٹر ساز فیکٹرور یا والے

ين- ايونيش دجملوس فحومت مطالد كياب كرده اس معالت كي تحقيقات كوجلد منظرهام يرلائة اور عوام كواس مقري عمل ورفوالى ب قاعد كيول من آگاه كماجات جمد محران عاعت كر بنماول كاكمتاب كرافوادي مكاكاؤمدين تع رقبات كا

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ے برابر رباقد۔ تیرانٹ کل نے بدت آف ایکن میں مرون برد باب جلی کی دکت کے بارے میں کماجا اے کرون استرون ولول افراد كوب وروق سے تعميت كر كو كيا يا ي كن ان فرمدد كريت بول ب عارت كياس مروت والكرمترن استرين وكي مي وت ي كالريك وينا كي ملاجة رفع جسه ۱۹۸۷ء میں یہ عنوانی کے الزام میں جانبی کی مزادی کی تھے اور اً میں۔ اس جینے والا عموا آوحائج جیت لیماے کینکہ ابتدائی دنوں ي مدق باشي من ١٩٨١ على امريك اورار ان كراين ليمان ميا ر ان و کت بلیاز کی اور بعدازان است رون کیده کرتی ہے۔ بورت آف مین عل معدت كالد بيشد عدد قدمات با في شراع تن ي كدار إلى قياد عن التنايية والساب وبادو غير دامل كراي

مكحا نتاليند

جنوني كوريا اوراس کالیک منظار ماتھی پایس فرحراست سے اوران کے المناطبة تؤيمون كعقاياك ووثول خزمول برملكي قواهمين مك تحت عام مرائمت شر مقدم علا ياجات كالدرب مون بوان "رشته ماد بنول وريائي فكومت كالمتاه كماوجوه تمان كورياروان موس مصرحال انمول نے تکالی کوریزے سدر تم ال سکاور وقع اعلی معام سے جرميره فعاف كورياف دوباره اضغام كسعفوج يرتبادا وخيال كياكيا ر را الخامعلوم بوات كرونس في أن ك عقاب ول ما ما الل مم چین کی آبادی تک صودت جند دی عاقب سراس کی عمل تعمی بردیاب بیمان پیلی اور کی پیدائش کیوری از کیکیپراتش محداد ترفید دی جانی ہے۔ گزشتہ سال چین میں دو کروٹس ااک پیچ پیدا

بقس. برى ازاج

لوتعدد كرنے كے معلوب كلوف حاصل كرنے كا قولياں ہے ا خبار کے مطابق مدد گور باز فسست دنیات میں قیام اس کے حوالے اے ایم اقد المت کے جوالے استعماد مل کا محدد کرنے ک من عن ان كالدامات كومنوبي ممالك عن بحث يديراني عاصل بوئی ہے اندا اب مغمی ممالک کے عوام امریک سے بھی ایسے ی الدالمت كاوج كرتيس النادرائع كاكمنات كدمدر بش بتعيارون ا محدود كرف سك التي موديت امريك خالوات ير زور ويكل باك ١٩٩١ء ي الأسم محوة برم فياجاته وي المامني معرن كا كمنت كدورب عل معدمت والمن اوراس كوارسا تحاديول كوفي اور میگول علی آیک کے مقابلے علی ، و گناسیعت ماصل ب ماہم صدد مورا چوف کے حالیہ اقدامات سے بودنی عوام اور امریک کی وصلافوالى مولى معوائنساؤس كالكر عمان فاس مورت مال رجمره كرت موع كماك موساددات كري القادي التامر فارقهاي اجمر علن كاكمنات كداهان كرفاوري الواقع الدالمت افعات من فرق كر بحق ونظر ركمامان باست انسون في كماكم

مریک زآنرات گزشت ۱۵ پر میں سے جاری جی آبم اب ان چی ين دفت كواش أثار وكحال و عدب بير.

جاما فاخرى أيركنا يشويسون يرانتهان ٢١. ايريل ٢١ دمغان يوز بعطوك النطق كين فرايركا ايك بمعدم بيمنونه الدودم الجومك مخرص ادا كياجاز كارتمام مقدس مقامات كى زيارتين تراخش كردان ا ي كار بيدًا لقدد كم كمرم ادريدالغطر ميرمره ير برح والمركى سنزج كميلي كمنگ جادى ہے ر والله كيك فيلا محديثير زب سرق دجان ويطان قديم ون فر 17171 ما ي ترحين - قوا فريت

امتعنان المسامك كويوا ترجحا عد بث بيصنداكم كافران بي وتنحق دعا يرغموا ماكر لمبص است مح ليس ففيلت عال برائ

گرادی مشکرید. خودهه دستی میطند والد مخراسانهای بد انخوادی ر ريمسوات كيوالحاج فواقبال فن فم 326066 دالبغه در تخوم قاب كميانكل ساعت لقائدة بمكز الطبيعى و على المعلى المعلى على المعلى
بيندول كي اصل تعداد منطوم <u>بوتط</u>

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اختدد على وخدارا مين بوكالدر آنده الي مال الك

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یں سونت ایشن کے مراکاری وا درے پرجائی کے جمال اسٹل ال

ك والمع في مطلات كرم تدر مات ويكر مشرك منعي معود ل

الى بنت كريم كانمول فى كما كدياك ابران تكناكل اوريوان

تکشائل وصے فریداوا، ق. فرابد مرف طدی اور اعازے کام شروع کردیں ۔ لمالاً مربوبل دود کار کے مواقع می

فوشحالي أنكد انون فهايا مراوفيشنط كارول احدثركن

كاكار خلالب محدد وما ل كيفي أو غيد روز ما ما كالرود

وعده كياب انتاعات الداوو مدعن اور مق وكالسول في كما

عمرو عملكم بريارتين

هاردمعنان كوجاسف والفصوارت كابسيودك

بحث كوارة كا آخرى دن ہے - الا راحد ٢٢،

دمنان كرجل والإحوات وأيين بالبيري جح

معادت ترمن تثرينين كيظفهاوا قافد الاردمة أباز إود ٢٥ردمعان الميانك كوالشاء المدودان بوكات مكن ديارتين كرائي جائين كي .

دعوت عمرة ،م^حل أيا^ل

صالوث طب خيان الجديد تطوم رثانوا ها داعي سزطير محرف فيسيون لوف د آخری دمقان کی کنگ کیاف ۱۰ درموتان، تك إميودت جمع كرادي -

موس ان موال عل عادل اور مسافرول کے جما نے عل مارے ہے کئے دن محر پیٹے کام و دیمن کی توائش میں عظم رجے ہیں وہ اپنے آپ کومسافر ایناد طاہر کرے اعد واطل بھرتے ہیں بعض لوگ وہ فارم میں بر کر وہتے ہیں جن کے ذریعے بداعلان کرنا متعود ہو آئے کہ ایک قبر مسلم ہوا ہوٹل میں میٹھے قیر کی ممان ۔ وکھ کر حران ہوتے ہیں کہ به مسافراور ياد كنف المحصين جنيس التي بحوك للتي باورجو بردس من كيدم الشيخين

ے کہ گلکا ہے اس شرعی دمغیان کی پرکتیں تازل ہی شیں

یاری اور مسافرت کے مذرے دوزہ ترک کرنے والے تويدوه لوك بن جو بوش ايواري ادريل كانتي فيشل شي اكس روك كى جائ كى يالى اورويماليس روك كالب سيفوجر

كابرانسس مناتے ليكن لا بور سميت بنجاب اور ياكستان م سمى شرول ميں رہے واليل كواس مينے كے شروع موسف يملين أفي وال كابحاؤه مطوم بوكماتها ورسه وزراعظم بِ تَقْرِ مِنْوِنَا فِي إِنْ أَنْ الْمِنْ الْمِنْ الْمِنْ الْمِنْ وَكُنْدُ وَكُنْدُ وَكُنَّا وَكُوا الْمُ ك دوران كري سيام لكل كرايك وفد سياش كر ہوئے کمہ دیا۔ "اگا بجٹ کچے سخت ہوگا" اسطے بجٹ کے آئے می ایمی دو ماہ باتی میں لیکن احزام رمضان کی تلقین كرنے والى صوبائى اور مركزى حكومتوں نے آئے وال کی تینوں میں اضافہ کی روک تھام کے سلسلے عی این ناکامی کا غذائی اجناس کی پرداوار والے بر مغیر کے اس ملک

اكتان من ندائي اجتاب متني متلي بونكي بين اس كااء ازه ایک مقای اخبار کے اس کارٹون سے لگایا جا سکا ہے وا گلے روزات قبال رمضان کے سلیلی شاخ ہوا میٹے کیول اور کھرے الول والی آیک مورت اور مرد تھے توول والے پچل ك ما فقد أيك ما أى كادت ومفاق المادك عياد كو نظة وكورب بير عد بدائرى يزب أيك ونانى بقر ك ما قد ذي يريد والمبال بقر كالملاب " معكانى"

اعتراف كرليك

اس کالم کے شروع میں باقیل کے شرالا ہور کے تذکرہ كماتح رفظك كي مشكلات اورجيش ماز كاذكر بواتعااور يان آكر متكاتى ر نوشدى ب كر آن نوشن مطلا بود كالختر احوال ایک بار پر س کی ماری مطلول اور سادی يريط اليول كميادةود لابور والابورب عاصر كالحى فياس شم بزمن ك معلق كماها

تھے کیوں کی اوا مھنے کے لائل می کا شزادی زیب انساء کے برے میں کما جاتا ہے کہ اسے لامورا فاعزيز تفاكسةه لبنازياده وتت يميس كزارتي فخي اب يمي واى شرس أسودة فاكسب والمتى تحى-

كدان كى ودارت بدياتى كو تقعى برداشت نيس كرے كى اور مداواد ی و تفل می فیر مداواری صورت حال برداشت تسم کی بلئے گی۔ انمول نے اس تجویز سے انقاق کیا کہ برون ملک كتافيل كومتركدا وامعل احدكو آمية فرست كمذريع باكتان ئى منتى منعوب لكانے چائيس اور جس ك<u>ے لئے كو</u>مت باكستان صوصی مراعات دے مکی سب انہوں انبتا یا کدو سٹرق دستنی کے براور اسلاق مملك كالحي جلدي وصد كري م جلان و ياكستان م حوك من معود ل كامكانت كامان ليم عمانول في فرة م المكافد جنل الكل اون كيليفا كرويوں كے زير انظام بند كا أول كا اكريش كم عم جارى كرنے و فروش ميل مي وكيا غير معروب ف كروپ ليكل جداؤ إلى عالى جرور مال ايجني كو لماک پاکستان کشردمائل او بحترن بنر معط کافک ب جال نتى تنى كنديد والله الله بالمتى بكراس كملة مرازما تصيب بنديان كرني بون ك وفاق وزير يواوار داجه شلد فترجو عمره كي دولتی کے سفی صون وب آئے ہیں اوری فال کوری مانوی وجے کے لئے کہ اکترر ملے کے اگر برت م ان کا استدال تا قرمت وشمل بین فرق المیل بدن کے مدد محیب كالبتال بالمعل كرن كالمعور جي واروايا وروزيا كاكتر

حسن شناه "التراييل جيل جعني ارشد فيمد "خام أي مشاير إحتب ميرجر ماس كيد الجعوق فويين وكبيب وحوك سينبطه تروى بس كسيتج ترديب ش سوز وس يحدق ففل جوك بوك اليد اور مركاري وريع ف إ يناء كساه رقى فوجين سكساتك مساوم يس جو ، أن تعليداد يحي بلاك اً بوسدين بترويس كاماقة الكفي كمانوس يمايك يمزب ملامتي وضل أله كاستقل مغرل اركان ملامتي ونسل كي قرارزه المسكر ودان من ودو آل وغيض في بلاكت كي اطلاع مي لي ب اوهر

٣٦٥ عِنْ مَا كُلُّ إِن آورُواكُ فَي وَحَشَى رَرِبِ مِن يُبِيِّدُ الْعِنْ فِي مِنْ إِنَّ مِنْ سَالَ مِادِكُ فَعَدِينَ كُربَ وَعِي انس يه البي طرح أصطوم ب كه ماه التحديث مراوكو تشت م بي كه يسيب من شير عرص في في الأكساد سنة بي ويوسخ رہ: اُقَسَّن ہے اور اُسی متھمد کو پر اگرٹ کے بھی افریقہ کے اُسٹیدن کا کمٹ ہے کہ انہوں نے جانے ماوٹ پر ۱۳ کی بھی الشی وريع سادي كف اف ي مم شروباك كاسب المول ف سفرني أو يمنى ير- مر كان حامية ، قصل اخلو فيسيل كالاكامود زد العلما في مح كل الى تحديث كي كالد كماكسية واست حق افرة كي في ما واس كاس وقيش تعديد بين الب تك ملك عرض ١٢١ ش برست عَوْمِ شِبْ مِنْ الْمُؤْدِدِهِ فِي تُرَيِّينِ بَهُونَالْ مِينَا ﴿ سُالُ بِحَلِيهِ عَلَى خَبْعَيْدَ الْسُرَا الْعَرَامُ لَلْ كَيْنُ وَكُ شرة من افريد في الريام مرمي الدر وما على الدين المايي المدين المناف المنافق على الما الما المادية موالل تك كى بقى مغول في رسمال اوار في من من رست اقليق منوت إلى بعاد في يعزف فائز بدى معدال على في كروى باورود برست انظامی اسطان الموص مفادات کے قت مرحد میر کرنے استجاب کافیر مقدم کرے فیدورے کا لیور سلل چہالد ا والے جمال دول فاق کم اور حاج مائر بیان کردی ہائمیوں نے استحدد مسدور عاد استفرام کا فیکس مستود کر تھے ہیں۔ جمری ان حكومت ك وحيلند علوك ك مين يحت والح تعد المرين الله مطوم بدائ كرز كمان على فو كاك كار بموهاك

ك بعد محارق فن في في معسدت كرفونان كرويات الشرعي طرف سوكور فضل الدك موقع ووقى ك عباعة وكوب ألومادبي البعدير وقراد الخي ويراست اخلد نديسول كويناياك اس ماو ترس الدد جرمول كي مركري التي جدي ب اميل ي كاك مان جياب الد كروب عواى انس نے کماکہ گزشتہ ملک اور بدھ کو الل جواب مادوں کی طرف ے مسلم شرول و حمل کی اطلاعات موصول بھی تھی در اسل آئل وبشت کرد ترکیانی سے مسلمانول اور شمالی باشعیا کو قالانا

جائے ہیں بونامکن ب حومت ان دونیل کی بھر پیر دمائل سے مفاعد کر سے گ متبوضهعلاق ر بقراؤهمي كيا- آن وليس العدرس والسفوالي تمام يدى موكور كى اكد بندى كند كى اور بعدى نماز كيلي آف والفسطينيول مرجائے ہے دو کدیا اور بیٹتر عرول کی خاش کی جاتی دی۔ فوق نے

خود تی کے تمام كيبول من كرفونانذكر و كاتبانيك معملي كندب ضرورس سھے

تجربه كارليڈى فيحربوك-جىسے ملل مك انكلس ميديم كريجون وكلواكر مرحاسكين ورى دالط قائم كري ون شروة 26022 شام برسے واریخ تک

كارون منر وههده ويرابط قام كري

خوشخبرى بم نبایت بی عمومی قیمت پرمخلف مائیز ئى كروزى بىنىكىش كرتے بى -• ۱۰ مهرم سنتی پاسپویش مائز بسرکافی در دیناد • مهرم منتخ تُنافئ كلاُمائز ١٩٧٤ اروياد • ۱ × ۲ منتی ــــــارکانی • ه رکس سازتاج استواد مقال بداسانس بوزي

ميسة دل كي قيت اواكر كالعود ماصل كياب اردو کے فوصورت افسانہ فکراے عمد فالمور کے والے النااوي أنه كرة موعقايات كدانول فريو يأكمتان كى مستقل الدمت جمور وى حمر الهور س جدا بوتا

كواره زكما اس حميد كاكمناب "العودشمكي إد العودست بير تطقيق محمر ملد آدريو بالى بريل كائى كرسر كالجحيداشق بجب بحى يى آفروں سے تر مو جاتم لیک روز انموں نے خود کل آواب ریل گاٹی س یٹھ کر فاہورے مداہو ابول اور فاہور کے ماديستان كي جي رنواب ماديسة بواب ديا-مكافول كى جيتين كارفانول كى جينيان معبره جراتميراور باد شائل مجد كم عاد اور لا مود كدر خت ميرى فالهول س اویل ہوتے میں تواہرور کی یاد بچھ مرحملہ آور ہوجاتی ہے میں ادائ ہو جاتا ہول 'جول جول المود سے دور ہوتا جاتا ہول روروه ميح كواشح والمنش الفاكر وبوارون برمار يستعبارار الا موركى إور إن مون التي ب" ..

ممائ في ديك لوكول في كزنا جليات كيرت المركز الي افي يادي عان كرت موغانهول فاستعموسيقاد دومت كاستا يا بواقعه بحي بيان كيااور كما كديمت عرص يسط البر کی دامندی شراید در گی کلاسیکل مرسیقار کا گر قاان کی راگ داری کا دور دور تک شرو قالوگ دومرسعموسيقارون كاطرح السميمي فالنصاحب كم كدرياري كواياكل بوكيا ب نواب ماحب ديكين كے لئے كر بالسرقية "فان صاحب كامعمل تفاكد مج المد كردادى خرداز الرسني جمال خان ساحب لوكول كي يجير الأكسد ب در ارباط تعين فسل كرت فماز بشعة اوروايس آكر مرى تصديوارون واينس ارب تع بيجيد كم اليال بحا ائے کا ایک آرے ، برقباب کے باس بند کر ایک بر رے تھے ' نوب مانب کو ہدا مدمہ ہوا نول نے افو ک کے مانچ معامیں ہے کہا۔ لوثت این ملت بوات محر بنج کریزے یادے اے بمينة رق كل ع قليم لأكر صافى على ليب كريم ہوے گوشت کی اعتی کے ساتھ المدی میں بد کرے آالا لگت چان جب من والحادد دین الماری کے ملت بیند کردو محظ مسلس رام کرتے دو پر تک گاتے رہے اور جر المارى عباعثى تكال كرما عدر كه ليحاور وث كر كعات ویا حصوصی لاری س بھاکر دریار کے الازم اشیں لاہور کے کھانے میل دو بیشک کا درواتد ا عدرے بعد کرکے کنگل وگا لیتے تھ کوشت داس لئے زیادہ کھاتے کا ان کا کیتا تھا

> ان کے گانے کی شرت برصغری آیک بریاست سی بیٹی آو راست كالواسف المالك فاس أدى مع كراسس اب ياس باليان كا كالمنااوريز يخوش موع اواب ساحد فان صاحب كورو بزار رويه الماند ليك جوزار يتي بوشاك اور ولى دينى وككش كات فان صاحب فيدى ويى قبل کر لیاود ای شائدار و بی ش توکدی جاکروں کے ماتھ دینا شروع کر دیا کام کوئی شمس کرنا بڑنا تھا کھی کجی تواب صاحب گائلنٹ کر کے طلب کر لینز تھے

" سيفين طاقت ند بوتوشيركي آن نسير ماري جا تكتي "

ات حميد كم موسيقا ودوست في المين و تعد ساكر ايك ميدمشكل ع كزوابو كاكر خان ماحب يدادرى كما تعاكداس كے بحد قان صاحب لاہور سے بنبر كيا وائے یادتے ملے کرویادیگ کل کے قلیر چیاسٹری کاادرور ڈکا اور مائی دروانہ کے مری بائے یاد آنے مگے کر فواس صاحب مجى اس لىكى كرف يحى شي محقو شر سابرتكى تى-

> ے صرول علم اور مران کو "ممتد قری ملاقہ قرار د کروال سے كى كوابريات كى اجازت في دى جارى تى - اس الدام كاستعد مركزم قلطينيال كوالقدس جار في سازر كمناهد محدالا تعلى س تى براركىك بحك السلينول كالحوى تعداد كى عباع كان وس بزاد کے قریب عسطینی موجود منے جعرات کی شب بھی فوج مجد کے ا صلای و افزاید کا بین او در افزای کے موقع میں مرکب کا کہ یک اور افزای کے موقع میں مرکب کا کہ یک ایک ایک استخدا اور انتخاب کا موسکی خوس کر انتخابی اور کا مستخدا اور کا موسکی موسکی موسکی کا کا موسکی کا کا موسکی کا موسکی کا موسکی کا موسکی کا کا کا موسکی کا موسکی کا کا موسکی کا کا کا کا موسکی ے تلیم کیاے کہ سن کورے کے گئی تمانی وان کی فدم کار کان کاملے کو گئی تھی۔ فدی ہے فوق کے عمر محک ے تکتے ہے افاد کر ویا تھا۔ نمانن بر حلرصوات کی تمع مد اعجرت كياكياش امراكل اخبرات فيمت يوى حاقت تبيركيا فلطنى درائع في نمانن م مرسى بليس كم عط ال

> > کافونس أو كسالى دادى الجام تحداد امرى كومت بدندويا كر تعلينيل كافل عام وكوات كيليد الله كري

۲۰ درسم ا ۱۹ درجنوری

خ ش قسمت ترین دان میں البت ہوگا۔ بل اوا کرنے

او خلول كيواب ديني من انيرت كامناس.

۲۰ معوری تام ار فروری

خد کو قاوی می در محل می الیسی میزوی خلافتد کریده ب و سی کیل آب کواس کی خرودت میں

ب "٢" الد "١٥" آپ كالى نبرين.

۱۱ دروری ا ۱۹ مار رح

المسيد آب زياده الميري الدادين مع عيس

ك أن الوت برات كالقبادة كرش ال كام كويد

كيلع الزي ح في المدر الجام دناج الم

٠٠, مارى مدار زول

معوضت كاملى

فعادكن إاميدين

ہے۔ آپ جدات کی روش برد سکتے ہیں اسلے

برج چنري

مرے کاملی۔

برن دو

فارْكُ كى باك بوفوالولى كودد بافيت مات بان كى ب فبكريهم وافراد زخي موسنك الآم خمه سك ميكرفتي الإل جوزي الآي أوكار ساملية مرسطاسة بالواتك مرصى بالسر يمياقين فسنينين يمثل ي شديد الموس كانتماد كيا جولت كودير ملك اموانك وزير الملكم المحاق تابيرك مافة اجازى انول فادرد ياكدام الكي عام پیتے بنیا کوش کے ضواب بر عمل کر ہے اور شام کوان خوات ے آگاہ کیلنومٹرق وسلی کے جاتا تعنیہ کی طرف بڑے دندیں . فلسطن في امراكل في قرمت كرف ي دور دي جوت ملامق النسل معالمه تيات كه متينر الماسة يمي شمص كالكي يزكراست اس كالكنداتيام حمد عي فلسطين يراندهاد مندة ويك أراس كاعلان كمن في إلى على کا- فال او کے سای خربدم او شرف نے چیو عل میں

بقبع بسيارجا دباردز _ كود او كل جارجا كمي في كامريراه بدار كوافعا كرود فادم في الكال بيشف بلي "بسلسي عن كرفت والى الموسد والى المراسة والله الموسد والما المراسة والما المراسة والمراسة و مروادينات كمشتق

وعداس تظیم مسدواتر فارک میرس ادراندن ش بی سادر دهام سے منائی جائے گی اس مناس - جدرارل (دائل) فود برش بيي

البكر محدودا الدي موي ماهم كرميندج وفاجرين مختف فريش ان هيدي كيادات كي جري بال الله عند عيد م ماهم كي لي تزيد منتور كي قوا الناش مرمق كالليم يدارام وتبدوا بلت كازسو الزراية على الدجراب كويل كم من موم كيوان كار بدل يدل يندل يندل يندل يندل كليد كار كار من الماري ا کی جائے گی۔ جامل بیلن نے ۱۹۱۴ء سے خاصوش فکوں کے دور على المراجى اواكارى شوري في على الله كروال چلن كى يانى قلىل كى دوبارد ئى الى كى بوكى جى يورانى كى دورى كى دورى دى كى دورى دى كى دورى دى كى دورى دى كى دورى دورى كى دورى ولاك ش تحاددانه كافرنس كي فرالمي ك وزير فالمستدونديد جامل چلن كاغي اكمري جوالتري چلن كو تحد اعواز ي

واراترس ووارمتي

بل سدد مرول بر مت زیاده احماد تری این دنان مناب مرور کے کیلئے جس قد کھانا خروری ب این سے زیادہ تھ کھار کے گئے جس قد کھانا خروری ہے

رفاری اور الایدای سے کریہ کریں۔ زیادہ قاتل

رين بوزا

-۲ رمنی تا ۲۰ رحون

المنافع معلى مقول يتحود المادت مردكرة

ے آپ وی تعلیفول سے تعلق بیں۔ امریلاے کام کی دند احماد عی ایکروائے مسے لیے راز کو افظ

كدي ك كي المستل كسان وكري-

וץ, פני שוץ, יפעוני

الله المرادة المرادة ومن المرادة المر

لكن اس كايه متعدير كر دس كر آب يحد بحي يه

العاقست كاملى

الرئ مرطان المديد

تھرمشنی ہوئے ہیں اورب پینشب بنی ۱۹۸۵ء ہی ایڈورا شیروانٹ کے سومت وزیر فارجہ شنے کے بعددیا تی اِسْل ک چارلى چېلن كى سودىي سالگره د هوم

بيلن جمل كاشتها ويتر القال 10 كما قواهد و المياري الد ولف الأول سعاد كان أولك ومد عك كلودكر أباب

عالی جدید المتان سرائل میکاندی به نید می سراید کاری به ماهر ماهد و تقیم جنس موشهات به سیسناد اور میوزیم می منطقه کردنی به عظیمی مرکز بین ش تعد کشت خوالی اواد عيدالهم و المثل لك الجال ليف المنطق عادل الدان أوع المدقاعات والمهاس على عدائلة فاتم المستكنان. نتائي الوالخان

عرصت كليك وعن منعايك ثاباه ماالك ومام أيف بد اردى كيست كي مطرق مطارت كارستا ياك كال عاسون

مرسدم جلفوا سلمال رئوس كالشير عدي فينداء ال ب سنادتی ملتوں کے مطابق علل آباد اور فوست کے شور اس م فطالكرات عاليات فرورت ولل جاري بيرافان مان مالاتك كوعام فريق تعاملها في الدول في ويأتيا بصنيك فوست اور في سدوان سروان المزين الماي جَرى بي حرى علق من طابق النابع بيل ين يد و الله عن وي ال

محد في مُعَلَى اللهِ مطالق كليم إن بيث تليدا مالك و الألك الد بسائست مستحقيق من من أو مكانت أنهم الرادي فوراس الده الله ووون المراقب محميل كو كليم الالالك المراقب المراقب المراقب ويدكماك والمرام والمركد فوازجها يداوال كادر والوالمل بالر

١٨٨ كلدي فالأك يوسري

کے السکا و

٢١٠ أنكست ١١٥ بهتمبر الله الله كام د كري بس سه آب ك محت متار بوت كالمزشريو معوسنما والول يجي الحمارة كري كوتحه حوازي غزاست بمتالل فالنسي ہے کے اور کیکھ زیادہ اجماد کریں۔ مطمئن رہنے کی گوشش کریں۔

رع يران حرور ۲۲ رسمبر وا ۲۴ راکنو مر الم يكام والمنافي الروايد عد اللي الرسادي

كوهش كرتيان طرية وت وزياده مرف بر كانين آخر كاروت كارتيت هم آست كالبية معمل اور فير التميين ووقت خالفت كري فمناك خيالات س ريد ريد كريماده شيسانل پويدوي.

مام المحورة الاروم

بي مستى لور كافى سديني تاب آرام شادر لري - بركام آب في مرتبي ت معايق نيمي بو كانيكن الساسة ويطال أول بسياكم أوالثاني الأويدي دومرول برتفيدند كريها والكواردوي ايالمي

ا تا آپانے میش میں ہوتے اس الله والرول ك جنبات أو عين والالت عرار المن أوسات أو تربيه الموال عاملي





ں مسیں شیعم ہے ڈ ٹال، بخرج بیٹی کے تیام کیمسیوں میں کرفسیو

القدى - الرائيل (اينجيز) القدى من آن سلمان كى وسع تعداد كه نماز كى وسع تعداد كه نماز كى والتي تعداد كه نماز كى وسع تعداد كه نماز كى والتي تعداد كه نماز كى وسع تعداد كه نماز كى والتي تعداد كه نماز ك

مشرق وعلى من شائع بوسف والاسم الأورواخيار

معتد وروهان الميارك ٩ - ١٠ ١٥ - ١٥ اراييل ١٩٨٩ - جيت ايدسية احرجارالتر

الزوربا وربیلات میں صی حرا بی کے باعث

كيت ١١٠ مار ايريل (اب) كيت ك على يداكر في السال إلى على يندى في الديم كان برطاسين الولديد بمرات وفق : عيلان عي في نقش ك تتيه عي ميتند دود قروعي كل كا \ كادد مسير مازست تن به معطل ولي فروب الله

سلمان رشدی کی حفاظت کا ہفتہ وار خرچ ہیں ہزار یونڈ

اسكاث لينزيارة كربجث شروس فيصداضاف وزرامة داخله وخارجه كوبعي جان كانطه الدن-م الريل (كونا) شنازت كلب شيطاني آيات ك مرمده طاوي معنف سلمان رشدي في حاطب الرابات

في بغة ٢٠ جرار يوعز ي تجاوز كر كے بين جَبّد اس ف جموق ييكور في يراب تك موجار بالاند فرق بويك بيراس امر كا اكمثاف لندن عثاق بونواك شام خروزهد "وق سيندرة " في الح سكر في حكم ك وال س كيا اخار ے مطابق ان افرا جات میں شیطانی کلب شائع کرنے واپ ادار، كوفار اوراعلى خام كى حفاظت كافروباً شال ميس جي اورت ي ديناه رس يرطاني وفاتركي سكورتي ش اشاف كه خرج شال بياور بوداد كل ايران كدوهاني ربنما آنت الشخيعي في سلمان رشدق كوواجب النسل قرار ويا قناس وتستست مرتد مستفسد ولوش بهاورته طانوي سكورني وارب اس کی حفاظت پر مامور میں جبکہ نظر دیش کی استان اور ماانشیا اس متازمہ تاب کے فلاف موسف اسل علام وال سن الل وُسُل کے وفاتر کو بائی مرتب رقعد و سلوں وفتات ما یا جاچا سبعد اخبار کے مطابق آئرید سلمان رشدتی کی حفاظت یہ ا فراجات کے سر کارنیانداور ٹھار مجمی ٹھائع میں کئے گئے ماہم افراطاز رسكي وسنتس وعنالينديارة كي يندش وسي فيعمد

نواز شريف ٢٥ر رمضان كوسعودي

عرب بینجیں گے

صويائي وزراء كـ أيك وفدك بمراوع، رمضان كي شب خاند كعب

یں میادت میں گزاریں کے اسلامی جسوری اتحاد کے مقامی ذرائع

ك طابق وزيراعلى كايد ووره دوروزوجو كالبس شدودمية المندره

جهه ~ ۱۲۷ اربط (نمائنده فصومی) یا نیز ذرانع کی اطلاح در دور

جين كے لئے جايان كاقرضه

توكور ١٥٠ ايرال (كونا) جاياني وزير خارج سوسو ك اونوف اسے ہم رت قبل فی میں سے دعد کیا کہ جایان میں کو قرضوں کی فراہی سے بدگرام میں تیزی پر آگرے کا نیا آگیا ہے کہ جایان میں كوچوسولين والركاترس فراجم كرے كا

كال ١١٠ اربل (ايجيز) شابراه مالك كرووايم اكل يتوات كامل سطل بوكرده كياب اوهردني على جيدا معلب کی بلی مالکرہ کے موقع پرایک بریس کا فرنس سے خطاب كرت بوش اقتان مغير حمد اظرف ياكستان اور اس يكدير معلد عدكى عمين خلاف ورزيل كالزام عائد كرت بوع كمأك افغاستان اور صوعت ہوتی صطبہ کی برقش م عمل کردے ہیں بجک دیگر دونوں فرق اس معلیہ سے کو مسلل فقر انداز کر دے ہیں ایک موال ک جواب میں افغان سفیر نے کما کہ اس کے تعلیہ مارول کو زیمن صدین مادود في الماد والمراج والمراج المراج المراج الموا نے کماکہ حکومت افغانت ان اقیام متحدہ کے زیر محرانی عام استخابات كالعقاد برتيارب بإدرب مجلدين افغان مكومت كي يتجويز مسترد كر ميك بي انسول في الفائستان كي تعمير نو ك لئي فيد على المانية تتر مَا خِرِرَ كُورَ بِينِي كرتے بوئ كما كريعش ممالك افغانستان كى تتي نو کے بھائے جات کے مارشل بالان مارے میں دری اتاء انفاق

جده - ۱۲ رابرش (حسن ظميراً ما تده خصوصي) وقاتي وزير پيداواد راج شليد تفريد كماي كديا كستان عمام بطب في مستاز كميش

کر بسند آگل دی کے اشراک سے بائندرو کر مکریانت نگایا

مائے گام بر 100 كروزروك اكت آئ وانون فيا اك

علم عَل كو صاف كرف اور فيروسين آئيل بيار كرف والاب

پدیشک اکتان اسل ل کے بعد باکتان کادومراید استی متعوب ا بو کاس متعوب کی تحیل کے بعد کئے زمبادل کی بہت دیکے کی راجہ

شاد فقر ممره کی او انگل کے موقع م اناکده عرب نا است خصوص محظو کر دے تھے انسوں نے کماکد وزیر انظم محترب نظر بعنو

مَّالِ بِشِتَ مُرِّونِ نِي مِهَارِ فِي فُوجِ كَي مِيثِينَ عَاكْمِيلِ فِي إِذِي، - ارطاك مُوْكِوا لِمِينَ كُوْدِلْكَا دِلْكِياء امن بِيشِكْ مُرْكِوا مِعين ٢٧٦. رَحِيْ بِدِمارِون خَسِتَصيارِ فوال وسيف والعدام الراويل (كاند والتر) مرى التعنى بدحول كسنة مال | وحاسكتي والسوائد مشال الشرى بيان سائد وحويضه فسرى است مال كى دولى ديكية كروي سي تطليق تر علن الماك كمعت يرسماني المرق شرزكوالى دروستديم وحاكول _ كوخ

ترب کاری کی بیری واروا ف کالندو قید کے قریب بولی جمال فيتكوا الله يصم كم مطاق كرشتر يويس محمول كروران وي التاليظ مال ممايد مارول في الك ريموت كشول بم كوريد ا مریک پر افغان مجارین کوجدید میزائل فراہم کرنے کا ازام ' کائل حکومت استخابات کیلئے تارے '

مروس كاسلد عارى مها ورب كرشته ودافعان مكومت فان

ائم مقللت ي علمين كيف كاعتراف كريم بوك كما قاكم

ر فاري كوت خطري كريس سين تعيد " إبرك خواتين كوتندد كانتانسانا ياكيا اخلق كالزام تمسيد ۱۱، اپل (رائد) اوان سائطاني کانفول فر آيدا . ايد مي سريز و تحي إساف استطري ساؤنداوروا او 🏻 ئىلىمە ئرقاد ئرليان درائع كەمطابق آيت اندىنتىرى اس مكان يس موجود فد تقداد حر مجلوي خلق ك ايك تر عمان في وي كيا ب كرانتكافي و ففول في محمر في خواتين كو يحي تشدد كانشاز بنا يااور

یا کستانی باشندے کاسر قلم

يض- الداريل (رائم) الناوه بم وطنول كو فق كرن كا

خبارات نے وزارت واطلہ کے اعلیٰ حکام کے حوالے سے جاتی

للب بيران فرأن مقدائم ومناؤكه بينين فلق كاطرف اسمن مل كے بعد دومرے بیت صنعتی منسوب پر ۱۹۵۰ كروزل روئي لائت آئے گی "را دیہ شاہ ظفر آئند وماد سوویت پوئين جائيں گے

سوویت بحری جهازوں پر شامی ب<u>ملی</u> كايبرول كاحمله

تسدو بسنا كب بنس المتالون ما تمال محداث

. سكو - ١٦٠ اين (تون) سويت اخبار كي اطلاع - يدمطانق شام کی شن بند کاد طار اوس سے اور شاق سندی با ، قول میں جرم البت بول في من شدروذ من منوره من ايك باكستاني الشدك ا مورت بحق جمازون بي وشك بيلي كالهابون سنة ميزاكل ما موصدوزارت وقال كر تمان دية اشار ختايا كل مثامي كل كالهائيل في فركف يم مات افياد بلاك بوسة جن يمياً اخبادی اطلاعات کے علیق پاکستانی باشند کیلام فضل می فالا آئی افعاص فی محد عمر قبل این وه بموطنوں کوموت کے کھاف آبار تشويش أكسب محروروم من شهد فكاف الصويات محري جماز موقد واردات يرسي كرزفيون كوطارطوس استال يا إيايا إكياب



ميوس كى مؤكل يرخان بتقى كم هاشم كاسطال كردية

بیروت میں مسلمان اور عیسانی فور سزمیں شدید گوله باری کانتا دِله '۴۲ گھنٹوں میں ۴۲ رافرا دہلاک ہو گئے

مسلمان بندر گاہوں کی عیسائی فوج کی طرف سے ناکہ بندی ختم کی جائے فرأسيسي جازوں كونتراندازنس بوندي مے وروز ليشاكي وهمكي

پدهده که ننے سال پرٹزنکومالی دہ کو کیے اٹنیا، متعددا فراد کر ہر نیچے اگر گئے ، ۵۵ افراد کی شالستنے ماڈک ہے ، سنہالیوں کے عشلات تا مل چھاپہ مارص کی تنونز کچڑ کارسوا

ين افوائد الدر منام عكم كوجفورين ميت افعاكراب مات بي

۔ بافی دوسر سے صفحہ بر

بيوست المرام ايريل (رائم) لميمان ك والكومت بيوت | كم ماتحة قطار على يزت ويكيم مح انبيالي ويرو استبسنون

عى آج يى حقدب سلمان وسيلاً فو من كروميان كورين كا يفيلاك بوق والول كي تعداد ٢٠ ينان اود مماكرين بالروك و ق من الله من خلد يقل كزشورد بدوس مال على واقل العطاء كزشورد كالله كواس عرص فرور ين يحد قراروا سکھ انتالیندعدالت میں حملہ کر کے۔ چندی ترجه پین مسیح شعهو با فوافزنگ ہے ایک بویس افسر بذاک اسیعور فی ا چىكاكرىد مادارل (ئاپا)مىلىمكوائىللىنىدلان

ایمان کے بیمانی رہنماؤں سے خاکرات کے تی دو منعظ کے۔ ایمان کے بیمانی رہنماؤں سے خاکرات کی تی دو منعظ کے۔ جمرات کی شب دیر گئیات بیٹ کے اختام پر شام میں اس سے کہا کہ ان کی طرف سے قائم ندام اور ابتان کے میری فوق کھوٹ کے گئے۔ کو سے بیٹ سے بیک سے کو سے بیٹ سے بیک میری فوق کھوٹ کے گئے۔ دو خسیار اور شیخے کے کوے بھوے پر سے بیٹ میری فوق کھوٹ کے گئے۔ لیے ہوئے درفت لمبرالا ٹیٹے کے کئے۔ بھرے بڑے تھے مشرقي بيهت محلك يمين في الزال ثدت بيان كر في بي كما كدايدالك مراقاتي موسعات ودواز يرومك وعدىء برامول كول واكت ايد مارز بم الوائي ك دودان جس كا وائره بروت شي ميالمواقها "رائش فينول" مشرق وادى جفرم يرمطاقي ايد موشد دودون درمائد میک درجن نسط محافظوں کی سرجود کی بی مقال موالت می محس کر پولیس ایسر کوبلاک کر دیا در مقد سے کی عَالَ كَالَدِ فِي بلبوس خَرَمَى لِوَالْ فَي لِيتْ عَلَى رَبِ * مَثْمِلَ الِهِ مَعْمِلِي يَعِتَ عَلَى وَرَجُولَ عَلَى يَمِلُ كَلِيفَ مَكَوْمًا شِجَلِكِ وَمِرٍ ــ ۱۰ وت کے خفرائے ماتی کومکا کر لے مجد بمدار داست

مغبوف علاقيل بس المخابات مشكل كام ب سينث كميني م امركي وزير خارجه كابيان شامیرے ذاکرات کے جدشرق وسلی کی صورت حال پریدان کا بالتمره تعاد مينزول في كرشته مشرك ير الحال الكريمان قدول القدوى اور ملاح فلف كے بيانات كے حوالے سے متعدد موالات كيدوامراكل وحليم كرف صفح والمال او كم عرائم پ^شملت پیدا کریک تھے۔

حكمران جماعت كے يد عنوانی اسكينڈل كادائرہ وسيع ہو گيا پارٹی کے سکرٹری حزل کی المید کوالیک میٹی بڑاروں ڈالر ملباند د شوت دی می رشيت ستاني ديد عنواني كم معروف اسكندل كادائره حريدوسيع مدكيا الرايد ين مدر من مدر من مراك اور امرائل ودي احتم احق اباور عراق عامت كالمرجما مرفر ورا مناسا وداير

پرس سرس مرس میں ایک استان کیا کہ ۱۹۸۵ء میں اسکول بی اوٹ کے ۱۹۸۵ء میں اسکول بی اوٹ کور سرائی اوٹ کیا کہ ۱۹۸۰ء میں اسکول بی اوٹ کیا کہ ۱۹۸۰ء میں اسکول کیا گئی ہوئے کہ اوٹ کیا کہ اوٹ کا اسکول کا اوٹ میں دیا گئی ہوئے کہ اوٹ کی میں اسکول کا اسکول کیا گئی ہوئے کہ اوٹ کی میں اسکول کی میں کہ ایک اوٹ کی میں کہ ایک ورق کے ایک املفت وادان كالليد عمل طيريد حروب ادار سالط می سمی می طور بر طوث فیمی بی ۔ آئ بیمال براس کا ظراس کے ووران اشوں نے اس اس کا عمران کیا کرور متعقد می اور عمران عادت کے دریدار اوشیت مثالی می طیف دے بین آنم اس مطلط عرود فود می فقلت کے مرکب بوت بین۔ یادر بچھ

واشكن - ١١٠ ام يل (كوة) امركى وزير فارجه بيدو مكرت كاب كرام كا معلم معلم أن كرفيا في او يم يعنا إتحاد الرب كاريز ب من عم امراكل كوفي وقد كوفتكم كرنالورو بشت روی کوائی تمام موروں میں ترک کرنا شائل بے۔ امر کی دائی فارد _ فاللم كاكر منوف طائل من التقلت كالنقاد التالي مشكل كام ب الدكماكيا سرا تبليون الدقسطينيال كدر ميان رُ الرات كم أماز مع قبل فريق كوبات بيت كم المنا الحل ماز گرینا باے اترین نے کماکہ یکی فرددی میں کہ امریکی گھری کے امریکی گھریکی کے امریکی گھریکی کے اور کا استخابات کے حال در بحث الدے کو متیوند علاقے میں مورت حال معمل برا اے سے شرور کرے امركى وزير خارجه فان خالات كالقمار سينت كى ليك كمي ش

مرد او تن المثل مون سدوابلوں كرود واركى كى في ميان نے

عالىك، كرفيقىل من فون روفط قاع مي يوسكانام انول فى كالكرد كي وكانام انول فى كالكرد مي الماليات كالكرد بين كالم

ك كنت من كرشت دات مراكرات عرب ليك كي جدد في وزار لي

کیل اور ابتان کے عیمائی فلاندسٹ اور ایرل پارٹول کے

کورے - ۱۳ رمیل (کونا) عرب لیکسی محتی نے جے ابنان | نامہ فاروں کو بنایا کیا کہ وہ ابنائی میسائی وہمالک اور ان ک كالحران مل كرم كاكام مونيا كيام إمثال وجماؤى متعيذ أفرات ما كارون مت ومنعيا ف المال كرندي كم المرمث واميد

عرب لیک ممیٹی کے لبتان کے عیسائی رہنماؤں سے زاکرات

مَعِينَ وَيَكُرُ لِمِمَا فَي لِيدُرون تَسَرَا سِنْ جَادِي رَجَعَتُ فَي مُصَّلِّ صِبْلِ وَالأحمد

نشلى چائے بلا كر لوث ليا

تىدىل- مارارل (اب) بمكن ترمط الششول مركرم ودول كوما فرول كواراخ كالك فاستطراق الميلب و سافوں كواكد كر جائے باكر ان كى تعين بكى كر ديية بير- بعد في فيررسل ايمنى واپ آئى نے اكد كليان اشيق کیلیٹ الم مرید جدالائنس افتا جائے بحدالول سے ل کر سافروں کوچا کے من فتر آورادو اے کی عدال جائے الے عیم۔ مران جرول کے کروہ کافرادان سافروں کے ساتھ ٹرین عل مدار وجات يراور سافرون برعش طادى ويتحل ان كافقدى ادر در ایم جزی ماف کر وے میں تایا گیا ہے کہ سنال ر ليدرد المام كو مال ي على اس في لوث مار كان علاب شامیر گرمچھ کے آنسوبمارے ہیں

اقيام تحدد- ادر اريل (كونا) امريك ادر اقوام حجمه على م ب لیگ نے نائندے کلاس مشہود نے کماکہ اسرائیل دائر اعلم احماق شامیر لبتان کے جوان پائی تشثیش کا ظمار کر کے مرجدے آفر مارے میں شامیرے اقام حمد کے سکر مزی جزل جادر وروی کوئیلارے ماقات کے بعد اخباری فاکدوں کوتا یا کراس الیہ کودیم کرمش دفی تھیف چھی ہے كه كوئي بعى لميتان كالمتخزان عل نسي كرسكاب "كلاوس مقسود ف جایا که ۱۹۸۲ ش بیوت پر امرائیل کی بمیادی سے شاہر بخی واقتسي ايزجن لمان يرامرا كل سلا كار قرار ماى وراصل لمان يرم الحكام او السك يدى وجي

چین کی آبادی ایک ارب سے تجاوز کر گئی 'ایک بچید فی خاندان

امرائل باز سنفول کے سوالیل کے جوابات دیج موسے کیا۔

كرفي برزور ويا تفاعات وزير احتم تيان جيون في تاياك أكر

سبول- ١١ اوريل (دائر) جول كرياك توف دياسون مراق الد ك باير مودد تعلين ويس موف ريا كو مقى بوان کو گالی کو یا کلیوند فیر قافیل دور کرے الزام میں گزشتہ دور وطن دیسی پر کر فذر کر لیا کیا۔ سر کاری فیر رسال ایجنسی کے معدد وطن دیسی پر کر فذر کر لیا کیا۔ سر کاری فیر رسال ایجنسی کے اسکام کاری و فراد و کاری انتظام کاری و قرار دیا گیا تھا۔ ان

راقع فيها إب كريزارون طله مون بوان كاستقبال كمفتح

فون بائے بغیر تل عام ے موسوم کیا تھا انسول نے - 192 کے لكسامك آبادي براضاف كادوك قام كسلطان المتاحيد

ريض - حار اربل (رائز) في كرازام عن اخوذ ١٩ مال مزائے تھے تھتے کے بعد سعودی عرب سے دویا شعط کے ساتھ كروين مح معوري اخترات في تصيلات متات بوت الكعاب كم مرائ ميت يان والدولول سودي شري سي بعالى سعاور مدالت أي عم من كما كما قاك مقتل ك بين ك الغيوا في انظار لیاجائے اک و دونوں قالوں کے بارے میں تا ملے کروہ اضی میاف کرے گایا تیمیا فیارات کے مطابق عثول سکسینے کی طرف سے دیت کینے ہے ان کار کرنے پردونوں کے مرحم کروسے محياي طريع وحريد سعودي شرول كويحي قل كاجرم بيت بول مزائموت دي گي-

المسلوم كو ي شدع عواى كترفيق كبعد واي كرنست بارتى المحافي كروز فلام في المرائز كو فل فين يمتاني ما فين محافي المناع المكافية والمراد المريد المسلوم كالمراد والمريد المسلوم كالمراد المريد المراد المراد المراد المريد المراد المريد المراد المريد المراد
سکار در سی انگاء اسلامی جمهوری اتحاد کے مقالی بینمادی قاری فکیل احد ميده من محراشرف محريقوب يسف ادرجود حرى محراش ف اور عل محسوس كر أبول كراكر على بمترمورت مال يدار كر سكول ے کار کول سے انہل کی ہے کہ وہ تواز شیف ادا ثاندا ، اعتبال ومراودارت مى رخ كاكولى جواز سي- انون في كماك ظا كرس اور حرم شريف يسان كي كامياييول اور ملك بيس اسما تي محام. منصوبه بندول کی ماء پریزے بزے منعنی منصوب یا و تقریباً بند ہو ع بي يا خداد على جارب بين بم كوشش كردب بين ك ند مرف يتارمنعي اوارول كويراوارى ينا ياجائ بلك ماته ي ماته روز اسرائيلي افسرى مصرر وأتكى مكر كرورائع بحى على في تح جأس وفاق وزير بيداوار ف كماك

كويت الدارل (كا)ريروام الكلك في أعلق امرائیلی وزارے خارجہ کے ڈائر کئے جزئی روین مرحاب مصر کے جار

شرروف اقدى يرجى ماضرى دي كياد رب كدا ساق جمورى ايدُ إك اوم كي إليس مع مخت القلاف كرتى بي اور اس ابم تحادث بإريمالي رجمانيود هربي محياهت مسين بنبي ترشته بنشة متمال وزارت كويرب ميروكر كانمول فيجس احماد كالقمار كالمستوه مختردوره يرسعووي عرب آئت تحبس كالمهان كوالين كبعدبو اے ضور پراکریں کے اور عل نے اپنی وزارت کے ماتحت مام ادارول محمروابول كويها كاعدشت الحكيدا التدني اسل مى مورت مال ب مدىد تى تى اسلان كى كوشش كر ربين اورافتاه الدماليا الدالمة كيدون كك المل لأكر روزه دورے پر روانہ ہو گئے

امريكه بورب بين موجو وبرى افواج اور رواي اسلحه مين كمي كر سو<u>ں یو نین اور اس کے اتحادیوں</u> کوفین اور ٹیکوں میں دوگئی مرتری حاصل ہے

والمطنن م إد ابريل (كنا) مدر كوراج ف كاطرف يديوب أص بيش كرد إجاب كات ام فالمشاف اخبار التفني ماسد -مِي تقيمات معديث برق الله يقاور رواني آلات حرب في تعداد شيل أمر في انظام يت باخر ورانع ك موات ت آن الاشامة من كى يقين وهانى ك بعدام كى مدر جار ن بش مى ان طاقول تن اليار أن ورائع ك ها ك النار البارك أسما بالمريد أسمات امر کی جنسیاروں کو محدود کرنے کی کو ششول پر خور کر دہ تیں اور 📗 سال میں نیزوار سائیلٹ میں شامل سمانٹ 🗝 بیٹر انسان 🖳 ان كالجوزة منصوبه نيخ ممانك كدورات وفاح ك أكدوا مال

انگولاسے جھایہ مار بینچے کامطلب خونرین کورو کناتھا 'سبابی کے وزیرِ خارجہ کی بیان وانفرنس

أ موال كيدواب على أنمول في الوق الا في الله عن الماني ال أعلمه كوتمولوكرت فالزام مائد كرت بوت مائداقاه ماشون

اقيام حقمه مع إرابي في أنوا) خيبياني قوي توكيب آزادي سانع) جوليا فيقد سننسل: سند فديون سنقل مان سن جاويات بل كوزي فارد تعون كرواب في كاب كه مرشته في إلى أو موالو کے چھلے مادول کا تولات نمیمیات وافل ہون کا مقد بنی ارتیج کافیملاس نے کیاتھا کہ تبییات الدرمودود چاہداروں او

شاستري كيليئين آف دي مي كالوارة ، تمير إنيت يجي ورث آف البين من أج شروع بورة

من هي الدائيل (والتر) ولت الفايات جلات ك الصيبي منظ التي في الفل كال في المنظمة ينا ينس من من من الأوار يط الورور وي من الال إلى والله النال ون مجي ڪالبوار و روي شامة تي ٿو، يا ميانه انسون ڪ ويلي انگوزي

والزيل الفاد وا - 4

خلاف وم أكركت في أفرو تول ت جيت ليات، ويست اعربان اس میت کاسرابندانی کلائی نیسسند عینز ک سے جنوں نے الى بارحوت انست سيعرى تمل كي- انسول في ١٥٠ اميندول ، أأارثز بنائث وليت أيني أثبا ومري أنكز كالأمازم ودوكن بركيالور ي فيت كيك مطلوبه ٢٦رز مرف ١٣٥٠ من من عاصل كركت برن اون يريد ويسد الديري أنحوير مسلسل حمى - يمال ويست الأيزية بعارت كفارف يوشرست إلى شن

مغربي جرمني كي حكومت بين ر دوبدل وزير دفاع كوالك كردياكيا

یون - ۱۲۰۰ اراییل (گونا) مغربی جرمنی ک بیانسل_{، عل}د كون من آن كافي دوويدل تروزير وقاع دويت توار أو حدويت الطيحرو كرويات شوتران ونول المرائل كادوره كرريت بي والسل لوش من اين اقدام كي وشاحت كرت وي المأكد وه ان في حكومت فاعدم متوليت عي الغاف يرتبولي كروب بين تايا كياب كد ودودون اليات كورزي وقاع كرمدور قار كياجات كا جبك وزارت والطب كوس وار بالسار أول ك سابق مثير أور وقال ودر والمروداف كيت شيل مول ك



معال وغدى كبراك والبالم ولين والالم معيد اب

كذ اهن الأصل

یک - ۱۲ مرام فی (دائش) مین فیل اعلان کیا که آج ملدی کل آبادی لید ارب می تود کر می ب اگراس مقیم حار سعودی شریوں کو مزائے موت

تهادي بين الغافد روكا تياتو تخوراك وتعت اور ربائش وروز كارك مسائل بين مزيدانغاف والا الانب وزير المقطم

آبادى كى موجود وشرع شرايدى اشافى بولد بالوجر خوراك محت امدون دائش ادرود كاد يمائل يراضاني وياوي يا كا ما يا كيا ب كد ايك يك كي ياليس كاي ديكان مرف شرى علاقل ماقی دوسر<u>ے صفح</u>ه بر

گر فذى كى خرس كر بزارول طلبة فيليس برلا تحيول اور محول سے تمل كرويا

سست باقى دوسرے صفحه بر

افن مقلت رولس اور انتايند طلب سي تعاوم بوا يائم مركاري مون بوان كي اطلاع في ويكرو يديد و شول سي مي تر علن کے مطابق بیس نے بھر، طلب کو مشتر کر دیا۔ آزاد الدرست احجانی مظاہرے ہوئے ایم نے حریدتا اک مخرف بخا

آبادي من اشاف كوروكة ك الخداد اداره جدوحد مسرى كى كاق مك كوايك زيروست قوى جاي كامامنا كرنايد كا- ١٩٣٩ء مرافقاب كرورت لك كى آيادى ش دوكنا اضاف بواب مركاري بمان اورة رائع ابلاغ يتطليم كياب كم حكومت كي اكديد بالسيءي طرح الام يوكي ب من كاخذ ميل ویلی نے امراف کیا کہ ۱۹۵۰ء کے دھان ایران آبادی کی برایوں کو کارازاز کر کے بحق نے زودست تشکیل تحیال وفول اؤز الكي يحن كرمراه تع جنول فري كترول ك

يكورنى فيرسراور مظامرين من تسادم يارني رجماكي خفلت كالتيجه تعامعواى صلق

ماسكو - 10 و اول (رائد) موديت دياست جارجاعي قوم المحكي في كروائق مرداه كيف كسبارة زير كويمل كالإمرداء المورد من المسكون في من مسكل فاتون على من منظم المورد المو

Top marathon

runners chase fame and fortune

LONDON, April 14, (Reuter): The cream of the world's longdistance runners chase fame and fortune in three countries this month as the northern spring marathon season gets into full

The first of three big races is the Rotterdam marathon this Sunday, followed by the 93rd Boston race on Monday. The London marathon, the world's largest mass-participation race, is staged on April 23.
With no major individual

championship to worry about this year, runners can compete in one of the big spring events and possibly either the lucrative New York or Chicago marathons later in the year.

The three spring marathons are all prestigious events, reflected in the prize money on offer. Refused

The Rotterdam event offers total prize money of 650,000 guilders (\$307.000) with a \$50,000 bonus for a world best. The organisers have refused to say how much the first place

money will be, although they confirmed that 25 runners would receive appearance money.
First place for both men and women in Boston will be worth

\$45,000 and the winners in London will get \$50,000 each. Ethiopians, who boycotted last year's Seoul Olympics, return to the road in force led by

world record holder Belayneh Dinsamo set the current world best of two hours six minutes 50 seconds for the 42.195-km event in last year's Rouerdam

marathon. He runs again in Rotterdam on Sunday accompanied by team-mate Tadesse Gebre, who inished ninth in the 1987 race.

For the first time since Emperor Haile Selassie was toppled by the present Marxist regime in 1974, Ethiopians will compete in the Boston marathon. Abebe Makennen, Challa Urgessa and Mekonnen Tulut are the runners selected by the national federation to com-

Presence

Last year's top two in Boston Kenyan Ibrahim Hussein and Tanzania's Juma Ikangsa have returned along with third-placed Irishman John Treacy and New York marathon champion Steve Jones of Britain.

Norway's luggid Kristiansen. the world record holder, and 1984 Olympic gold medallist Joan Benoit Samuelson of the

The London marathon has attracted a world record 30,000 participants plus three of the world's top men in Kenyan world champion Douglas Wakii-huri, Australian Commonwealth champion Rob de Castella and Diibouti's Ahmed Salah, second fastest man ever.

BRIDGE

RESULTS of the Westminister System 17 bridge game held on April 9: 1. Ahmed Hucidi & Mohammed Al Baz 2. Bassam Al Salah & John Burkk 3. Mamdouh Sabri & Saad Alsaaed

Results of the Hubara Bridge Club game held on April 8.

N.S I Sherin Basyoum & Ahmed Hucidi 2, Nahil Akel and Nacendra Shah 3. Jaya Sapre & K.T. Simon

Lello Murthwait & Dona Materay
 Dhruba Muketjer & Sudhir Dhumra
 Ibrahim Matrook & Mohammed Kad-

Results of the Regency Ladies Bridge Club game held on April 12: N.S ! Nahil Akel & Lollo Murthwaite 2. Jamila Akel & Margaret Rob-Whitaker 3. Lelly Akel-Junds & Lima Atalah E-W

Randa Fman & Ghada Sarraf
 Suha Foran & Irene Shuaib
 Naila Kassim & Hala Houri

Results of the SAS Bridge Club game held on April 9: 1. Nahil Akci & Lodo Murthwaite 2. Silvia Paulsson & Chris Johns 3. Rima Ayyad & Ghofran Mikail

Result of the Hubara Bridge Club game played on April 1: N.S Nahii Akel & Narendra Shah

2 Dr Oskay & Anton Shanti 3 Salman Ali & Sultan Ali

1. Beatrice Pereira & Aubrey D'Souza 2. Dhruba Mukerjee & Mohammed Mer-3. Luff: Alalah & Kamal Arafeh

Results of the Westminister System 17 game held on April 2:

N/S

1. Bianca Moussali & Ahmed Tawii

2. Adly Tiah & Dr Reddy

3. Magdi Mesdari & Add Bayoumi

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 E/W
 Joya Sapre & Narcadza Shah
 Dhruba Mukerjet & Ravi Blatt
 Sathi Shalabi & Milhem Ashkar

Results of the Regency Palace Bridge Club game held on April 5: i. Jamula Akel & Margarel Rob-Whitaker 2. Nabil Akel & Lollo Murthwaste

3. Margard Maynerd

Results of the Messiah Ladies Bridge
Clipbgame played on April 3

1. Nahil Akel & Loflo Murthwaite
1. Runs Ayyad & Ghofran Mikail
sharing 3rd: Margaret Mayaard &
Andrea Guodridge and Margaret Rob-

Results of the Messilah Ladies Bridge Ulub game played on April 10: I Nahil Alci & Lotto Murthwaite Margaret Mayuard & Andrec Gundruige 1 Jamila Aket & Margaret Rob-Whitekar

Dexter sounds out players on South Africa

LONDON, April 14, (Reuter): England cricket chief Ted Dexter is using an inaugural pre-season get-together with a potential Test squad to find out whether any of his leading players may be temp-ted by offers from South Africa.

Dexter, the new chairman of selectors, plans private talks after hearing Ali Bacher, managing director of the South African Cricket Union, say earlier this

from only 115 balls as West Indies defeated India by eight wickets on the final day of the second Test on Wednesday.

West Indies, 154 for two over-

night, duly scored the remaining

42 runs needed for victory in only

35 minutes. It was their eighth

consecutive Test win in Bridge-

town where they have beaten India in five out of six Tests.

Boundaries

his first 100 in the West Indies for

three years after only 17 minutes'

play. He twice drove left-arm spin-

ner Ravi Shastri square for boun-

daries, then swept leg-spinner

Narendra Hirwani first for four

Off-spinner Arshad Ayub was

deposited over square leg for

Haynes' third six of the innings

before Keith Arthurton, who fin-ished unbeaten on 11, drove San-

jay Manjrekar through extra

Haynes' unbeaten 112 took

It was his third century in his

last six Tests but was not enough to win the Man of the Match

award which went to Shastri for

his fighting second innings 107 which followed first innings

NEW YORK, April 14,

(Reuter): Olympic champion

Cari Lewis yesterday called Can-

adian sprinter-Ben Johnson a

mediocre athlete made great by

centage of athletics competitors

Johnson's coach, Charlie Fran-

100 metres final in Seoul had

used drugs in training were

justify the fact that Ben (John-

son) is a mediocre athlete who

just became great with drugs,"

Drugs

"I know the Americans that

were there were clean. And I

know some of the other athletes

and it doesn't take much to figure

out athletes that are using

drugs," said Lewis, who once again said that he had never

"There's a very small amount

HILTON HEAD ISLAND.

S.C., April 14, (Reuter): Payne

Stewart and Kenny Perry were

tied for the lead of the \$800,000

Heritage Golf Classic after each

shot first round six-under-par

Mediate were tied for third, two

strokes off the pace, at four-under-par 67. Newly crowned

Masters champion Faldo of Britain was another shot back at

Stewart was extremely pleased

with his bogey-free round. "I don't remember the last time I

58 along with John Huston.

Bob Eastwood and Rocco

Lewis said.

taken drugs.

65s yesterday.

with 24 points.

Lewis, said accusations by

that everyone in the Olympi

"That is simply a cop out to

use banned substances.

bowling figures of four for 78.

three hours and included 12

over to win the match.

Haynes, 80 overnight, reached

week that more rebel tours were imminent in the racially-divided republic.

Information

Asked whether he would speak directly about the republic in his message of introduction to the squad of 18 called to Lord's for a two-day session of practice

and discussion, Dexter said: "no." But he added: "Privately with

information that's available. At the moment, there is much hearsay but no

The threat of players being lured to South Africa next winter is a major consideration for Dexter, team manager Micky Stewart and captain David Gower as they prepare for this summer's

Ashes series against Australia.
The trio will have to decide whether to to recommend that a squad of players

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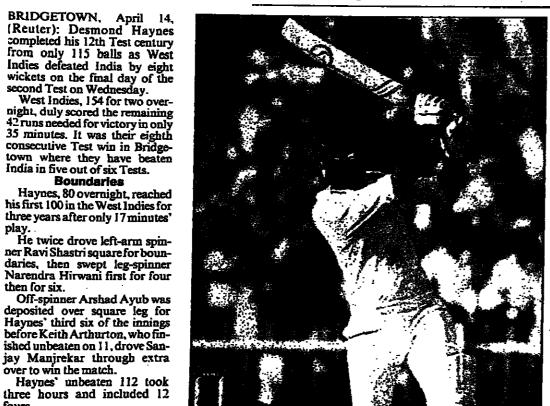
should be offered a loyalty contract. lying them to their country's Test team for a year or possibly longer.

Dexter said: "It is being discussed very closely and we are looking at what ben-

efits or otherwise such a scheme might

Haynes helps W. Indies rout India

Shastri gets Man of the Match award



Shastri: put in a brilliant performance

Johnson mediocre athlete: Lewis

Francis' accusations slammed

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of athletes on drugs that I know

of, that I see, and I can tell in our

sport," he said.
"We have to not let admitted

drug users, convicted drug

DRIETS IN & SCHOOL, LAKER WHAT I

basically a very clean sport. Most

of our athletes, almost all of

Lewis, the Olympic long jump

100 metres gold medal after Joh-

nson tested positive for the

anabolic steroid stanozolol in

Seoul last September, said he

would not miss showdowns with

"We felt for a long time that he

was on drugs so I never had much respect for him," said the

American sprint star, who won

four Olympic gold medals in Los Angeles in 1984.

to testify before the Canadian

inquiry investigating drug use in

sport that was prompted by the

Johnson Olympic scandal, "I really don't feel that I would

Stewart and Perry share lead

Perry called his eight birdie, two bogey round, "the best com-

petitive round I've had in three

any let down after his brilliant

playoff victory at the Masters

"I putted really well today and

that made a big difference.
"I told myself to just come out

and play and get on with it," he

said. "The sooner I get used to

carrying the (Masters) title, the

"I'm delighted," Faldo said.

Faldo said he was not suffering

years on tour."

last week.

Lewis, 27, said he had no plans

his suspended Canadian rival.

them, are clean.

WEST INDIES first innings 377 (G. Greenidge 117, R. Richardson 93

R. Shastri four for 78).

INDIA second innings 251 (R. Shastri 107, K. More 50 M. Marshall

five for 60.) WEST INDIES seco (overnight 154 for two)
G. Greenidge lbw b C. Sharma
D. Haynes not out
R. Richardson b Ayub . Arthurten set out Extras (lb-5 nb-3)

Total (for two wickets)
Fall of wickets: 1-14, 2-142. Bowling: Kapil Dev 8-0-42-0, C. Sharma 4-0-19-1, Ayub 14-4-26-1, Hirwani 11-0-56-0, Shastri 11-2-41-0, Manjrekar 1-0-7-0.

Meanwhile, India's spinners have their best chance of snatching a victory in the four-match series against West Indies in the third Test starting tomorrow.

The Port-of-Spain pitch is not only the slowest in the Caribbean but also the most responsive to

The toss could prove crucial as the pitch is bound to be lively on the first day because of heavy pre-match watering to ensure it lasts the duration of the match.

India, whose uncertain early batting has been cruelly exposed by the Fierce West Indian pace attack, are certain to make changes for the match with opener Arun Lal the most likely to go.

Arun Lal has yet to post a halfcentury on tour but he is the one specialist opening bat left in the party after Krishna Srikkanth was forced to return home after

on July 22. The world class

invitational meeting will be the

biggest outdoor athletics com-

petition in New York City since the US National Championships

Lewis, Olympic 200 metres

champion Joe Deloach and two

other members of their Santa

Monica Track Club plan to

metres relay world record at the

that set the 37.83-second record

in Los Angeles in 1984. He mis-

sed a chance to go for the record and gold medal in Seoul when a

baton pass outside the desig-

nated area by teammates during

qualifying cost them a place in

Fred Lebow, president of the New York Road Runners Club

which will stage the New York

Games, said the meeting will be

"the best non-Olympic event

ever held in this country, bar

LONDON April 14, (Reuter):

Australian Tristan Nancarrow,

the 12th seed, threatened to quit

squash after an explosive third-

round defeat in the British Open.

racket against the walls and

floor, swore at referee Bruce Ket-

tle and made a two-fingered sign

at the crowd while losing 9-0, 5-9.

9-7, 9-5 to England's Chris

Obscenity

The 25-year-old Australian

Walker last night.

Nancarrow smashed his

Lewis anchored the US team

mount an assault on the 4 x

July meeting.

the final.

none.

his forearm was broken. If he is omitted, Wokeri Raman will play and number three Shastri promoted to

Raman's inclusion for a third cap would at least mean a lefthander in the early order.

West Indies plan to announce an unchanged side from a squad of 13, which does not include pace bowler Winston Benjamin. Bejamin was apparently so upset about his omission from

the second Test that he ignored his duties as 12th man on the first day when West Indies were fielding and was seen wandering around the pavilion in street clothes. He was eventually summoned back to the dressing room on the loudspeaker. Included

Brian Lara, a 19-year-old Trinidadian left-hander of enormous promise who scored 182 against the Indians for the under-23s in St Kitts, is included in the squad but will not play. Captain Viv Richards said: "It

will be good for him to rub shoulders with the senior players so that when a vacancy arises he'll have experienced the big-match atmosphere.

The Indians have not lost a Test match to West Indies at Port-of-Spain since 1962, winning two of the last five games there and drawing the other

Canadians took steroids at

TORONTO, April 14, (Reuter): A Canadian Olympian yesterday said that he and fellow sprinter Desai Williams received banned anabolic steroids as far back as 1978 while attending a US university on an athletics

Dave McKnight, for 12 years a close friend and teammate of Williams, told the Canadian inquiry into drug use in sport that the pair began using muscle-building steroids in 1978 while roommates at Clemson Univer-

US university

sity in South Carolina.

"I clearly recollect ... we used to laugh about how big and how strong we were getting," said McKnight, 30, the 10th Canadian track athlete to admit at the inquiry to using banned performance-enhancing drugs.

McKnight contradicted earlier testimony by Williams, Canada's number two sprinter after Ben Johnson, who said that he experimented with the chemicals only briefly in 1987 after reuniting with coach Charlie Francis.

immediately docked and the 25-

year-old Australian was repor-

ted to the Squash Rackets

Meanwhile, Australian world

junior champion Sarah Fitz-gerald reached the last eight of the British Open Squash Cham-

pionship yesterday when she defeated England's number two

seed Lisa Open 4-9, 6-9, 9-6, 9-4,

Opie led 5-1 in third game and

twice held match point in the

Association.

scholarship.

Border and Gower have point to prove in Ashes battle

Allan Border, often Australia's batting saviour but rarely their captaincy hero, faces a battle for the Ashes this summer with an old rival equally in need of improving his success rate as a Test skipper.

Border's opposing captain in the six-Test series that takes pride of place in the English season starting this weekend is David Gower, sacked three years ago but reappointed in the belief he can lead England from one of the most barren periods in their cricket history.

Gower, who captained England to a 3-1 series triumph over Border's Australians on their last tour in 1985, returns to the job refreshed and convinced he is more able to cope than in his previous 25-match reign that produced five Test wins.

For Border, leading Australia has been an even more taxing experience, though he has med reluctant to relinquish the role, perhaps aware of how much the team need him in the absence of other outstanding Disposal

Border has won only one of the nine full Test series in which he has led Australia — a reflection of the shortage of high quality players at his disposal as much as the way the captaincy has rested

uneasily on his shoulders. At the crease, the Oueensland left-hander has epitomised Australia's indomitable spirit, scoring 7,831 runs and 23 centuries in his 102 Tests. But as captain since the middle of the 1984-85 rubber against West Indies, his only series win was against New Zealand in late 1987.

Border is making his fifth England tour, which may provide a measure of compensation for his past disappointments if his team can surprise the home country while they seek to reestablish themselves as a major power in the game.

One win — against Sri Lanka — in their last 19 Tests has prompted England to reshape the way they choose their team, with the setting up of a four-man committee under dashing former Test captain Tedd Dexter, the new chairman of selectors.

The recall of Gower as captain was the first move in their bid to achieve stability and continuity, and the graceful left-hander who has played in exactly 100 Tests has this time made a point of stressing that beneath his naturally easy-going personality

Gower hopes to benefit from experience, and said: "This time round I know exactly what to expect. You can always look back over the past and maybe there are a few minor things I would do differently. But I'm more concerned about getting things right in the future, and I am sure I can."

Border's attempt to upstage Gower and improve Australia's record under his leadership seven wins in 39 Tests - may hinge on the performances of



Alderman,

Lawson is easily the most suc-

recent home series against West Left-arm paceman Bruce Reid's absence from the tour party because of continuing problems with a back injury makes the form and fitness of

ted ali-rounder Steve Wangh bats as brilliantly as during his first season with Somerset 12 months ago. After 26 Tests, Waugh needs to play the big innings that eludes him at the top level to accelerate his develop-

Complete The Ashes Tests start at Headingley on June 8, by which time Ian Botham may have been

operation early last season. The all-rounder is keen to regain his England place — his last Test appearance was in August 1987 — and to play a full

Graeme Hick, who continued to show his healthy appetite for runs with an immensely successful 1988-89 season for Central

The prospect of more glorious strokeplay from Hick, the Middlesex debut of West Indies opener Desmond Haynes, and Viv Richard's return to county cricket with Glamorgan offer an added dimension to a characteristically full programme of domestic cricket.

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awson seeks GP win dominate Refreshment Trading Co. Gardner confident COSTA SMERALDA, Sar-

felt comfortable today."

MONTERY, Calif., April 14, (Reuter): World champion Eddie Lawson, back on the track where he began his title hunt last year, hopes third time will prove lucky in Sunday's 500cc US Motorcycling Grand

Lawson, who has switched to riding a Honda from Yamaha this year, has been unlucky in the first two races of this season and has seen fellow-American Wayne Rainey and Australia's Wayne Gardner move ahead in the championship standings. Lawson took third place in the opening race in Japan after crashing in

practice and was only fifth in Phillip Island, Australia, last weekend The defending champion has 26 points, eight behind leader Rainey, after going off course. and needs to do well in the third event of the season, at Laguna Seca Raceway where he won last year, if he is to stay in contention for the

"I just hope to finish. I would just like to stay on two wheels for the Worried whole race, actually, said Lawson who also won the title in 1986 and

Yamaha rider Rainey will be more worried about keeping Gardner, the 1987 world champion, at bay. Only one point separates the two men and Gardner is in confident mood after winning a close race on his Honda in his homeland last

Other strong contenders are Yamaha riders Kevin Magee of Australia and Christian Sarron of France, tied for fourth in the standings Lancia teams

Lewis: speaks out

have anything to say that would

Lewis was in New York to help

promote the New York Games

Faldo had four birdies on the

front nine for a 32 before suffer-

ing a double bogey six on the 10th

His six iron approach shot caught the top of a tree and lan-

ded in the top lip of a bunker. Stewart, who has not played

here in several years, said he wan-

ted to get a look at the course

prior to a \$2.5 million tour-

"I never thought my game was suited for this course," he said of the harbour town golf links. "But

I'm not as wild as I used to be. I

nament here in October.

help," he said.

dinia, April 14, (AP): Lancia drivers dominated the second stage of the Costa Smeralda Rally yesterday with two Italian teams taking a 1-2 lead overall.

The favoured Finnish duo of Markku Alen and Ilkka Kivimaki was forced to withdraw following the failure of the electronic clutch that Alen was testing for the forthcoming races of the World Rally Champion-

Alen had started the second stage of the three-leg competition in runner-up place.

Two other Finnish drivers. Tom Makinen and Mikael Sundstroem, pulled out with broken engines. Makinen Drove an Italian-made Lancia Delta Integrale and Sundstroem a

Mazda car. Dario Cerrato led the race after the second stage with an advantage of 2:44 minutes over his Italian teammate Fabrizio

lost the third game when he was fifth. But 12th-seeded Fitzgerald docked two points in succession kept her composure and clinched for obstructing his opponent and shouting out an obscenity. victory when a tired Opie put a His third round fee of £420 was service return into the tin.



Nancarrow threatens to quit

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Border: wants to improve his success rate as skipper their two most experienced pacemen, Terry Alderman and Geoff Lawson. comeback after being banned for going on a rebel tour of South Africa, has thrived as a fastmedium bowler in English conditions both for the Australians and during spells with Kent and Gloucestershire. cessful bowler in the party with 148 wickets from 38 Tests, but poor form and injury kept him out of Australia's team for two vears until he was chosen in the

Alderman and Lawson crucial to Border's hopes of regaining the The Australian captain's for-tunes could also be lifted if talen-

able to complete a successful comeback after a major back

part in Worcestershire's county championship defence. Worcestershire's title triumph owed much to the spectacular scoring feats of Zimbabwe-born

Districts in New Zealand.

requires

Malone and Wilkins help Hawks brush aside Celtics

- use the unit is

NEW YORK, April 14, (AP): Moses Malone scored 29 points and Dominique Wilkins 27 as the Atlanta Hawks routed the Boston Celtics 132-118 last night for their fifth consecutive victory.

The Hawks broke a thirdplace tie with idle Milwaukee in the NBA's Central Division race for home-court advantage in the playoffs. The setback left the Celtics only 1-1/2 games in front of Washington in the race for the eighth and final playoff spot in the Eastern Conference.

The Hawks led 67-38 just before halftime. Boston rallied with a strong third quarter and got within 93-83 on Robert Parish's basket at the start of the final period.

But Malone scored from inside, rebounded his missed free throw and hit another basket to make it 97-83 and the Hawks built the lead to 112-92 over the next four minutes.

Ed Pinckney paced the Celtics with 18 points and Reggie Lewis

In other games in the National Basketball Association yesterday Indiana beat Chicago 109-Phoenix defeated Houston 119-111, Seattle beat Miami 116-111, the LA Clippers beat Golden State 128-126 and Sacramento beat Denver 121-

Suns 119, Rockets 111

Tom Chambers scored 15 of his 27 points in the third quarter and helped hold off a fourthquarter Houston rally. The victory was the Sun's sixth in a row and left them 1-1/2 games behind the first-place Los Angeles Lakers in the Pacific Division.

Otis Thorpe scored 34 points for Houston and Akeem Olaj-uwon had 33 points and 16 rebounds but they couldn't overcome the balanced scoring of the Suns, who had five players in double figures.

Pacers 109, Bulls 105

Lasalle Thompson made a three-point play with four seconds left for the winning points as Indiana handed Chicago its fourth straight loss. Michael Jordan recorded his 13th triple-double of the season with 47 points, 13 assists and 11 rebounds but the Bulls are only 7-8 when he scores 40 or more.

Reggie Miller led six Pacers in double figures with 25 points and Thompson added 22 points and 15 rebounds. John Paxson gave the Bulls their last lead when his 20-footer made it 105-104 with 17 seconds left.

close and was fouled by Jordan, giving the Pacers a 107-105 lead. Chicago's Scottie Pippin inbounded ded but Indiana's Detlef Schrempf stole it, was fouled by Jordan and made two free throws for the final points.

Supersonics 116, Heat 111 Xavier McDaniel, starting his fourth consecutive game in a major lineup change for Seattle.

scored 35 points to help the Supersonics snap a four-game home losing streak. McDaniel, who came off the bench as the Sonies' sixth man in the first 72 games, scored 14 points and Dale Ellis had 13 of his 24 points in the third quarter as Seattle went from a 64-62 halftime lead to a 95-84 advantage.

McDaniel made 13 of 18 shots,

including his last eight. Kings 121, Nuggets 112

Ricky Berry led Sacramento with 25 points and Danny Ainge scored 12 of his 24 in the final period. Wayman Tisdale added 19. Kenny Smith 15 and Jim Petersen 15. Alex English paced

Denver with 31.
It was the 24th victory of the season for Sacramento, which was 24-58 last season. Denver has lost five consecutive road games and is 8-30 away from

Clippers 128, Warriors 126

Rookie guard Gary Grant scored six of his cureer-high 31 points in overtime. Ken Norman added 28 points, including a game-tying 15-foot jumper with eight seconds left in regulation that made it 118-118, and rookie Charles Smith scored 20. Chris Mullin led Golden State with a career-high 47 points and Mitch Richmond added 24.

Grant hit two long-range jumpers to put the Clippers ahead 123-122 with 2:22 left in overtime. Richmond's jumper 15 seconds later gave the Warriors a 124-123 lead but Norman made one of two free throws to tie the score and Benoit Benjamin's rebound basket put the Clippers ahead 126-124 with 56 seconds

Clemens blasts Indians to cross 1,000-strikeout mark (1,043). Athletics 5, Angels 0

NEW YORK, April 14, (AP): Roger Clemens allowed just three hits in seven innings, and his eight strikeouts put him over the 1,000-strikeout plateau as he won his first decision of the season in Boston's 9-1 victory

over Cleveland yesterday. Booed when he was introduced at Fenway Park on opening day for disparaging remarks about the Boston fans. Clemens received a standing ovation when he struck out Brook Jacoby with the bases loaded in the second for his 1,000th strik-

Staked to a 5-0 lead, Clemens breezed before giving way to reliever Mike Smithson with Red Sox ahead 9-1 at the end of the

three RBI, while Marty Barrett had three doubles and Dwight Evans homered in a 15-hit attack against four Indians pitchers. The eight strikeouts gave Clemens 1.005 for his career. fourth on Boston's all-time list

shaky Major League debut, but Mike Moore allowed no runs and three hits in eight innings as Oakland beat California. Wade Boggs had three hits and Abbott, who made his pro

Top seeds reach quarterfinals

debut with a 42-3 innings stint in a 7-0 loss to Seattle last Saturday night, pitched six innings against behind Cy Young (1,341), Luis Tiant (1,075) and Bruce Hurst

Again getting no hitting support, Abbott allowed four runs, two unearned, and nine hits. He

AMELIA ISLAND, Fla., April 14, (Reuter): Steffi Graf, Mar-

tina Navratilova and Gabriela

Sabatini, the top three women in

the world, reached the quarter-

finals of a \$300,000 tennis tour-

nament with straight set wins

Graf, the West German world

number one, used her rocket

forehand and much-improved

serve to overpower Italy's Laura

"I tried to go for the big shots right from the beginning," said Graf after posting her 29th con-

you know it was a ride, but it

helps you feel confident for your

next match against better com-

petition," said Graf, whose quar-

terfinal opponent will be eighth-

seeded Australian Hana Man-

champion, had an equally

smooth ride into the quarters

with a 6-1 6-1 victory over Linda

Ferrando of Italy in under an

Kathy Rinaldi, who posted her

Navratilova will next face

Navratilova, the defending

You win one and love and

Lapi 6-1 6-0 in just 42 minutes.

vesterday.

secutive victory.

Jim Abbott improved on his

walked two and struck out four. Moore, 1-1, walked one and

struck out seven before he was relieved by Dennis Eckersley at the start of the ninth inning Dave Henderson gave the A's a 1-0 lead with a two-out, Homer

in the first innings. Tigers 3, Twins 0

Jeff Robinson pitched a fourhitter, and an error by shortstop Greg Gagne allowed two Detroit runs as the Tigers beat Minnesota, snapping a 12-game losing streak against the twins. Robinson, 1-0, whose 1988

last year's losing finalist, meets

Angeliki Kanellopoulou of

shed American Ann Grossman

"I like to play on clay. That's

what I play on at home in Spain."

Sanchez' quarterfinal oppon-

ent will be 11th-seeded Austrian

Judith Wiesner, who defeated

Czechoslovak qualifier Regina Rajchrtova 4-6 6-3 6-0.

seeded Soviet Natalia Zvereva in

the second round, but her luck

ran out after the first set yester-

day when the more experienced

Wiesner took control of the

MCC keeps

doors closed

to women

LONDON, April 14, (Reuter): Cricket's most famous club, MCC, is to

remain an all-male preserve, its members have decided in a

Seventy per cent of the

4,000 members who replied to a questionnaire from the men-

only Marylebone Cricket

Club, which administers

Lord's, voted against a sug-

gestion to allow membership

Watch

Sixty per cent said no to a proposal to allow women to

watch play from the pavilion

at Lord's as guests, the club

The 202-year-old MCC,

noting that England's

women's team had played at

Lord's twice in recent years,

had sent its 18,000 members a

questionnaire asking whether

for women.

said today.

Rajchrtova upset fourth-

said the 18th-ranked Sanchez.

Greece in the next round. In other third round action, sixth seed Arantxa Sanchez cru-

season was cut short with a 13-6 record because of circulation problems in his right hand. Struck out seven and walked four. He worked out of a basesloaded jam in the first inning by striking out Gary Gaetti and Randy Bush.

Lou Whitaker homered in the seventh inning for Detroit's other run.

Rangers 6, Brewers 1 Julio Franco drove in four runs for the second straight game beat Milwaukee for its fifth straight victory and seventh in

eight games this season. Witt, I-0, struck out eight and walked two as the Brewers con-

tinued to struggle at the plate. Results

Cleveland Minnesota California Detroit Oakland Milwaukee nest League New York Mets L A Dodgers San Diego

and Bobby Witt scattered seven Mansell has frustrating



Mansell takes a rest during the testing.

IMOLA, Italy, April 14, (Reuter): Briton Nigel Mansell suffered a frustrating first day of testing for next week's San Marino Formula One Grand Prix when he took his Ferrari

around Imola yesterday. Mansell, who marked his Ferrari debut with victory in last month's season-opening Brazilian Grand Prix, had a best lap of one minute 32.198 seconds, well down on the unofficial record for a normallyaspirated car set by world drivers' champion Ayrton Senna.

Testing was held up by morn-ing rain and former Williams driver Mansell sped off the track

on a bend in the afternoon. though without damage. Ferrari racing division manager Cesare Fiorio said he was satisfied with work on the car's

gearbox but not with the

weather. "There's not much you can do on a day like this. Let's hope for better weather tomorrow," he said. Mansell is scheduled for only

two days of tests at Imola, where the Grand Prix is on April 23, and his Austrian team-mate Gerhard Berger finished his session on Wednesday. Manseil's best lap time was the

11th fastest of drivers testing at the track. The McLarens of Brazilian Senna and Frenchman Alain Prost, who both finished testing on Wednesday, have the fastest times. Senna's unofficial lap record is

1:25.33 and Prost clocked 1:25.614. Only one other driver has gone below 1:30 in an atmospheric car at Imola, Belgian Thierry Boutsen, who timed 1:29.845 in his Renault-powered

Ljubojevic takes lead

Kasparov triumphs again

BARCELONA, Spain, April 14, (Reuter): Yugoslav grandmaster Ljubomir Ljubojevic won his 12th round match against Yasser Seirawan of the United States in the World Chess Cup yesterday, moving ahead of Britain's Nigel Short.

Short, who had shared the lead with Ljubojevic, fell back when be drew against Viktor Korchnoi of Switzerland.

World champion Garry Kasparov of the Soviet Union celebrated his 26th birthday with a win over compatriot Valery Salov, giving him 4-1/2 points from his last five matches.

Other 12th round results: Boris Spassky (France) drew against Prebrag Nikolic (Yugoslavia)

Miguel Illescas (Spain) beat Rafael Vaganian (Soviet Union) Zoltan Ribli (Hungary) beat adjourned against Jonathan Speelman (Britain) with

Alexander Beliavsky (Soviet

Artur Yusupov (Soviet Union) Yusupov in a better position many) defeated Johan Hjartarson (Iceland) Jesus Nogueiras (Cuba) did not play.

Standings after 12 rounds: 1. Ljubojevic — 8-1/2 points, one game more played 2. Short - eight points, one game more

Sports meeting

SPORTS BRIEFS

SEOUL, April 14, (AP): South Korean officials will attend a sports meeting with North Korea next week, despite controversy over the arrest of a dissident leader who made an unauthorised visit to the communist North, a government

official said today... Cannes Open

CANNES, France, April 14. (Reuter): British Ryder Cup golfer Howard Clark and Sweden's Anders Forsbrand were disqualified from the Cannes Open golf tournament before today's second round for failing to sign their cards.

Horse racing

DUBLIN, April 14, (Reuter): Top Irish horse racing trainer Vincent O'Brien is to follow in the footsteps of sprinter Florence Griffith Joyner and clad his jockeys in aerodynamic outfits. O'Brien, who has trained six win-ners of the Epsom Derby, has ordered 10 sets of the American aeroform silks.

LONDON, April 14, (Reuter): Cheitenham Gold Cup winner Desert Orchid, who fell at Airtree last week, will not run again this season, his trainer David Elsworth said yesterday.

Desert Orchid

Mattar wins RIO DE JANEIRO, Brazil,

Brazil beat Peter Doohan 6-3, 6-1 yesterday and advanced to the third round of the \$230,000 Banespa Open tennis tournament. Real coach MADRID, April 14, (Reuter):

Spanish League leaders Real

Madrid are replacing their

April 14, (AP): Luiz Mattar of

Dutch coach Leo Beenhakker next season.

Cup qualifier BUDAPEST, April 14, (Reuter): Bold Malta upset Hungary's hopes of qualifying for the World Cup finals when they held them

to a I-1 draw in a European

Group Six qualifying match on

Wednesday. Barcelona out

MADRID, April 14, (Reuter): Holders Barcelona crashed out of the Spanish Cup on Wednesday when they were beaten 4-0 by Atletico Madrid in a quarterfinal second leg tie.

Chang upset

HOUSTON, April 14, (UPI): Nickias Kulti of Sweden upset third seed Michael Chang 7-5, 3-6, 6-3 in yesterday's second round of the \$200,000 American Capital Invitational.

Old tickets

MILAN, Italy, April 14. (Reuter): Touts are selling yearold tickets from a soccer friendly between AC Milan and Real Madrid for next week's sold-out European Cup semifinal between the two teams, the Italian

Boxing great Sugar Ray Robinson dies at 67

Alzheimer's disease stole former champion's memories

Robinson (left) holds the punch bag for Johnny Fanechon at a gym in London in 1969.

(Reuter filephoto)

LOS ANGELES, April 14. (Reuter): Former world middleweight boxing champion Sugar Ray Robinson died on Wednesday after being rushed to hospital, hospital officials said. He was 67.

He was pronounced dead at Brotman Medical Centre in Los Angeles.

Robinson, considered by many experts to have been one of the best boxers of all time, won 174 of his 201 fights during a career spanning 25 years. He retired from the ring in 1965. He held both the world welterweight and middleweight titles. But his life in the

ring took its toll in later years. **Emergency** Hospital spokeswoman Judy Davis said Robinson was rushed into the emergency room at 9:55 am local time but died less

than 15 minutes later. His wife was by his Boxing promoter Bob Arum said the fighter "in the last few years has not been in the best of health. His demise was predicta-

"But that doesn't take anything away from the fact that ... everybody in boxing is stunned because his contributions to the sport were so great. He was without the question the greatest fighter ever in the history of boxing."

Robinson, who gave boxing fans sweet memories of a style and grace never before



Forest seek another Wembley date

appearance just gone, another up for missing out on the League

ground in January.

Graf: brushed aside her Italian opponent

LONDON, April 14, (Reuter):

Only one team stands between

Nottingham Forest and a third

Wembley Cup final this season

Hardly a small consideration,

but Forest could hardly be in

better heart as they contemplate

tomorrow's FA Cup final with

the League champions and

Sunday's 3-1 success over

Luton in the League Cup final at

Wembley was followed by a 3-0

victory against struggling South-

ampton in the League on Wed-

Favourites

is high and against any other side

Goals are flowing, confidence

But Liverpool, with nine suc-

cessive League wins behind

them, are playing better than

A mighty clash is in prospect

on the neutral territory of Shef-

field Wednesday's Hillsborough

will have his own special accom-modation behind the teams' dug-

out in an area normally reserved

for stewards and ground staff. Clough is banned from the tou-

chline until the end of the season

for throwing punches at fans in

an infamous incident at Forest's

Forest manager Brian Clough

third-placed Norwich 2-0.

would be hot

nesday. Last week they beat

Liverpool.

leaders.

Ground.



due in the less glamorous Simod Cup, a third final for Forest would go a long way to making

Liverpool have named striker Ian Rush and long-term casualty

Alan Hansen in their squad for the tie, but central defender Gary Gillespie, one of the club's outstanding players this season, is not expected to play because of a Rush had a cartilage operation month ago and club captain Hansen has not played in the first team this season after injuring his knee in a pre-season friendly. An all-Liverpool final cannot be ruled out, however, with Ever-

ton a reasonable bet to beat Norwich in the other semifinal on Aston Villa's ground. Norwich winger Dale Gordon

is as surprised as anyone that his unfashionable side has done so "Norwich were never the sort

he said. "It was just never **Appearance** At 22, he is not old enough to remember the club's only other Football Association Cup semifinal appearance. That was

in 1959 when, as a Third Division Club, Norwich lost to Luton. Old friends Trevor Steven and Mike Phelan are fighting to be fit to face each other.

Everton's Steven and Norwich's Phelan were part of the Burnley side which reached the semifinals of the League Cup in 1983 after some tremendous giant-killing performances.

the rules should be changed. Turkey triumph

EAST BERLIN, April 14, (Reuter): Turkey established themselves as strong contenders for a place in the 1990 World Cup finals in Italy when they beat East Germany 2-0 in Magdeburg on Wednesday.

into a sweet science. .

Alzheimer's disease had stolen Robinson's memories. He had diabetes and suffered from hypertension.
The smile had become vacant.

"Until about a year ago he could get on his feet and walk alone in his modest home," Duncan, a member of the board of directors of the Sugar Ray Robinson Youth Foundation, said.

named Sugar because he turned boxing

But the man considered by many experts to be pound for pound the world's greatest boxer finally took to his bed and his chair. "Friends came and he would sit there," Duncan said. "Only a couple of days before he died, an old friend Archie Moore, former world light heavyweight champion, called 'Round'.

"Sugar Ray did not say anything. There was no discussion. But he always had a great smile," Duncan said.

The man who had travelled through Europe with a retinue of hairdressers, valets and secretaries, and even his own golf professional, spent his last years living with his wife Millie in a modest lime green home in a Los Angeles suburb.

"He wasn't living in poverty. He wasn't what you would consider broke," Duncan



'High-flying' matador

Spanish bullfighter 'Joselito' is tossed up and over by a bull in Seville's 'Maestranza' bullring on Thursday. Joselito was not hurt in the incident which marked the 7th day of builfighting at the fair in Seville, Spain. (Reuter wirephoto)

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to an armchair at home, unable to remem-

"He would occasionally say a name. But

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remember the past.

that was about it," a close friend, John

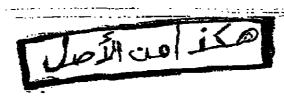
David Duncan said. "He could no longer

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